WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Southerly gales with rain; mild at first, then turning colder.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Strong south to southeast winds or gales; mild at first, with rain; then probably turning colder.

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LINER WRECKED AND PASSENGERS LANDED

President Hoover Reported Pounding Heavily After Grounding on Reef Off Formosa With 1,000 Persons Aboard—All Hands Reported Safe—Ship Standing By

Empress of Asia and Other Vessels Rushing to Scene

MANILA, Dec. 11 (AP).—A message indicating all passengers aboard the grounded liner President Hoover had been landed on Hoishoto Island, where the vessel struck early this morning, was received here today by Globe Wireless. The message, picked up from the vessel at 1:25 p.m., (12:25 a.m., Saturday, eastern standard time) said:

"All passengers safe. Landed on island. Latitude 22.40 north, longitude 21.3 east."

POUNDING ON REEF

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10 (AP).—The grounded trans-Pacific liner President Hoover, with 1,058 persons aboard, was pounding on a reef near Formosa tonight while the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia and three other vessels were reported rushing to her aid.

News advices received in Manila from Hongkong said the big Dollar Line vessel was pounding heavily with a list forward in her hull and that efforts had been abandoned to transfer the 650 passengers and 408 crew to the German vessel Preussen, standing by.

Dollar Line headquarters here said it was without information concerning the Hongkong report and refused to answer any questions concerning the vessel.

SAILING NEW COURSE

The liner, sailing a new course between Japan and Manila, grounded early today on Hoishoto Island, described as fifty-five miles northeast of Formosa's southern tip.

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SURRENDER TO FRENCH POLICE

Three Alleged Members of Murder Syndicate Charged As Accomplices

PARIS, Dec. 10 (AP).—Two men and a woman, sought throughout France by police as members of a kidnap-murder syndicate, gave themselves up tonight and declared they would establish their innocence in the slaying of five persons, including the pretty young American dancer, Jeanne Koven.

Police said the three visited their lawyers before surrendering quietly at Versailles while 50,000 gendarmes, mobile guards and armed police sought them throughout the country.

Roger ("Surface") Million, considered by police as head of the group, and his lieutenant, Jean ("The Little One") Leblanc, were the first to give themselves up. Shortly afterwards the woman, known to police as Colette Tricot, surrendered.

After being questioned for two and a half hours, Million and Colette were charged with complicity in the murder of Roger Leblond, whom Eugene Weidmann confessed slaying. No charge had been placed against Leblanc at a late hour.

The woman searched for as the mystery blonde of the group, implicated by Rene Weidmann in his confession the five slayings, threw a bombshell into the investigation when she disappeared with her jet black hair. Police said she proved she "never had blonde hair."

Destroyer Will Visit San Diego Early in Spring

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 10 (AP).—San Diego will be host of call next Spring of four Canadian destroyers, according to word received today. The vessels are the Skeena, Saguenay, Fraser and St. Laurent, due here from April 1 to 11, with the Saguenay and St. Laurent returning April 29 to remain until May 2.

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LEAVES HOST OF FRIENDS

Lady McBride Passes Away In Vancouver Hospital After Long Illness

Following a protracted illness, Lady McBride, widow of Sir Richard McBride, passed away yesterday morning in the Vancouver General Hospital. The funeral will be held from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church here on Monday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, interment to be in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Lady McBride, who has been absent from Victoria for the past two years, lived in Victoria more than thirty years and leaves a host of friends here. She was born in Ripley, Ontario, in 1870, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. Neil McGillivray. She received her education at the Anna Wright Seminary and the Tacoma Public School, Bruce County, Ontario, and later came to New Westminster, British Columbia, where she was living at the time of her marriage in 1896.

NOTED FOR HOSPITALITY

Even before her husband became so widely known, they were noted for their hospitality, and when he became Premier of British Columbia their home was "open house" to a wide circle of political and more intimate acquaintances. Although of a naturally retiring disposition, Lady McBride had a most charming

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RHODESIAN PACT WILL LAPSE SOON

Canada's Trade Treaty With African Dominion Denounced Under Withdrawal Clause

OTTAWA, Dec. 10 (AP).—The Department of External Affairs disclosed tonight the Canada-Southern Rhodesia trade agreement signed at the Ottawa Economic Conference in 1932 will lapse next January 2, unless steps are taken meanwhile to renew it.

An official said the Southern Rhodesian Government had denounced the agreement last Summer under a clause which gave a participant the right to withdraw from it on six months' notice.

The agreement was signed August 20, 1932, by Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett for Canada and H. U. Moffat for Southern Rhodesia. It became effective January 2, 1933, for five years.

Air Marshal Narrowly Escapes in Crash

When one of Britain's new flying boats made a forced landing several days ago, after taking off in the outer harbor of Brindisi, on the Southeastern Italian coast, two members of the crew were killed and eleven injured. Included in the injured list was Air Marshal Sir John Salmond, who was returning from a tour of Imperial Airways Far Eastern services. The plane was the sister ship of the flying boat shown above, while inset is a picture of Sir John Salmond.

Japanese Foreign Office Declares by Broadcast Nanking Defence Pierced

Emperor Informed of Planting of Flag on Chinese Capital's Walls

CHINESE DENY MOST CLAIMS OF ENEMY

TOKIO, Dec. 11 (AP).—The Foreign Office announced to all Japanese embassies and consulates today that the Imperial army has made a victorious entry into Nanking.

Emperor Hirohito was informed the Japanese flag was planted on Nanking's walls and was stated to have expressed his gratification.

The Foreign Office announcement of the "victorious entry" was sent to embassies and consulates by radio.

ADVANCE INTO STREETS

In Shanghai, the Japanese army announced a detachment of Japanese soldiers fought through Kuanghuamen, southeastern gate of Nanking, and advanced into the streets of the abandoned Chinese capital.

The announcement said the Rising Sun banner fluttered over the gate. Chinese, however, denied most of the Japanese claims of success at Nanking.

A Foreign Office spokesman yesterday said Premier Prince Numimaro Konoy would issue a statement setting forth Japan's further

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Unearth Plot Against Life Of Statesman

VALENCIENNES, France, Dec. 10 (CP-Havas).—A plot to assassinate Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos of France during his visit to Prague next week was foiled by vigilant cooperation of French and Czechoslovakian police, authorities announced tonight.

Two of the alleged conspirators, one a Hungarian named Koleman Budai, the other a one-legged Czech formerly in the French Foreign Legion, have been seized.

The plot was said to include among its intended victims Georges Lebeau, Governor-General of Algeria.

Pictures of Canadian Wild Life Seen at Buckingham Palace

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Canadian wild life today flickered across a screen at Buckingham Palace. Today's motion picture was given by "Grey Owl," the Canadian Indian naturalist, in a "command performance" of his films dealing with the life of the beaver on the Mississauga River.

The picture was shown especially for the young Princesses, Elizabeth and Margaret Rose, but was also enjoyed by the King and Queen Elizabeth.

The King rested after a tour of military plane factories, while Queen Mary visited a toy distribution display in a Fleet Street newspaper office.

B.C. Legislature Concludes Labors Begun in October

Hon. E. W. Hamber Prorogues House in Seventh Week of Extended, Hurried Session—Labor And Fuel Bills Enacted in Final Moments—Death of Lady McBride Regretted

By BANDRUM GRAVES

HON. E. W. Hamber prorogued the first session of the Nineteenth Legislature of the Province at 11 a.m. yesterday, ending sittings begun on October 26 and pressed in double periods for the last three weeks. Attended by his aides, the Lieutenant-Governor gave Royal assent to eighty-one acts, and thanked legislators for granting supply to the Crown in the sum of $29,353,342. Prorogued, members tossed sessional papers in the air and sang the National Anthem.

Coal and petroleum, and labor bills were enacted a few moments before the arrival of His Honor but amendments to the Mineral Act were left to die on the paper. Conservative proceedings combined adjournment on debate of motions, forced the Government into a division of 29 to 16 that blocked a petition to Ottawa in favor of Empire preference proposed by Dr. Pattison.

CONDOLENCE EXPRESSED

Before the House adjourned, expression was given to the regret at the death of Lady McBride, widow of Sir Richard McBride, outstanding in the life of British Columbia since pioneer times. The motion was proposed by Premier

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BOY RECEIVES HIGHEST AWARD

John Colwell, Nanaimo Scout, Presented With Bronze Cross for Bravery

NANAIMO, Dec. 10.—William C. Solway, commissioner of the Boy Scouts in British Columbia, tonight presented the bronze cross, highest award of the Scouts for bravery, to John Colwell, eighteen-year-old assistant scoutmaster of the Nanaimo Troop.

The presentation was in recognition of the valiant efforts of the Extension youth, who pedals his bicycle a total of sixteen miles to attend scout meetings, to save the life of George Frost, who was swept to his death in Nanaimo River, June 11.

Young Colwell waded into the swift running waters and grasped the hand of the unfortunate man but was unable to retain his grip and Frost was carried away in the waters. His body has never been recovered.

The modest hero blushingly refused to say a few words at the presentation ceremony, which was held in the Scout Hut with Mayor John Barsby as chairman.

CALLING FOR TENDERS

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (AP).—E. A. Cleveland, commissioner of the Greater Vancouver Water District, said today that tenders for the $750,000 extension of the Capilano water system, to serve the western section of the city, would be called for at the beginning of next week.

Storm of Enormous Proportions Lingers Over Extensive Area

Steamer Broken Up by Eighty-Mile Gale—Red Cross Works for Relief of Dwellers Marooned—Landslides and Ice Jams Add to Disasters

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10 (AP).—Heavy gales at sea, floods in inland valleys and additional suffering in snowbound New York State areas where ten lives have been lost, accompanied a storm of enormous proportions which lingered over the far West and the northeastern Pacific Ocean tonight.

Ships ran for cover at the Columbia River mouth when hurricane signals, presaging winds of seventy miles an hour or more, were posted in that area for the first time in years.

STEAMER BROKEN UP

The steamer Cottoneva, wrecked at Port Orford last year, was broken up by an eighty-mile gale and pounding surf. One fishing boat was piled on the beach and coast guardsmen labored to save others anchored there.

Flood threats appeared almost immediately in portions of the Sacramento Valley in California as the result of near-record breaking rains yesterday and the night before. The lower San Joaquin Valley also was drenched.

The Red Cross and New York State moved to prevent suffering

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BEAUHARNOIS TO SELL TO ONTARIO

Hydro Commission Enters Five Year Contract for Delivery of 260,000 Horsepower

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—Dr. T. H. Hogg, chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, announced tonight a new contract for delivery of power to the commission had been signed with the Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company. The contract, to run until 1943, calls for delivery of 260,000 horsepower.

The contract replaces one cancelled by legislative enactment in 1935. In making the announcement Dr. Hogg said all Beauharnois claims are "wiped out" and the parties to the agreement will "start afresh."

Under the new contract a total of 260,000 horsepower will be delivered at a price of $12.50 per horsepower.

TWENTY-SIX KNOWN DEAD AFTER SCOTTISH EXPRESS IN COLLISION

Others Believed Trapped in Wreckage and Nearly Half-Hundred Injured in Britain's Worst Railway Disaster for Score of Years—Accident Occurs During a Blinding Snowstorm

Train Crashes Into Rear of Other Standing in Station

CASTLECARY, Dumbartonshire, Dec. 10.—A crack Scottish express train, speeding through a blinding snowstorm tonight between Edinburgh and Glasgow, smashed into the rear end of another train taking a toll of twenty-six known dead.

Rescue workers believed eight other bodies were trapped in the crumpled cars while at least forty persons were injured.

It was the worst wreck in the United Kingdom since 1915, when 158 persons were killed in the Gretna Green wreck.

Rescue workers labored in the light of bonfires kindled with debris from the telescoped cars. They took twenty-six bodies from the wreckage and started the injured over snowy roads to hospitals.

Statements of the injured that some other persons remained in the wreckage halted their efforts.

STANDING ON LINE

The Edinburgh train crashed the rear of the Dundee to Glasgow Express, which stood on the London and Northern Railway Line at Castlecary Station, thirteen miles east of Glasgow.

Cars piled up in a grotesque heap. Packs were tipped up and the right of way about the wrecked cars was a shambles.

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King to Broadcast Message to Empire On Christmas Day

LONDON, Dec. 10.—King George, following the custom of his beloved father, will speak to the Empire on Christmas afternoon, it was announced. The message will be broadcast from Sandringham House, his father's favorite residence. The last Christmas message was in 1935, less than a month before George V died.

DEATH CALLS DR. E. B. PAUL

Principal Emeritus of Victoria College Succumbs In Hospital

One of the foremost educationists in British Columbia and prominent Freemason, Dr. Edward B. Paul, LL.D., passed away peacefully in his sleep early yesterday morning. Dr. Paul, who was in his eighty-eighth year, had been in failing health for nearly ten years and for the last two weeks he was a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, where his death occurred.

No citizen of Victoria was held in higher esteem than the late Dr. Paul, and the announcement of his death will occasion widespread regret. He had been identified with the affairs of the city for a great many years and took an active part in educational matters until a few years ago.

FUNERAL ON MONDAY

A Masonic service will be held at the Masonic Temple prior to the regular funeral service in Haywards B.C. Funeral Parlors on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

A native of Scotland, Dr. Paul was educated in the public schools of that country and graduated with his bachelor of arts degree from Aberdeen University, which institution later conferred the honor of LL.D. upon him for his outstanding educational services to this Province, and in recognition of his scholarship in several subjects more particularly the classics.

Dr. Paul was in the diplomatic service in Japan before he came to British Columbia. He first entered the teaching profession in this Province at Lillooet, where he taught for a short time before moving to Nanaimo but later accepted

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Six Escape By Miracle At Crossing

EDMONTON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Six persons were badly shaken and bruised but escaped serious injury today when the automobile in which they were riding skidded down an icy slope near Coronado, Alta., crashed into the side of a Canadian National Railways freight train, and bounced into a ditch.

Occupants of the car were travelling to Edmonton for a Christmas shopping excursion when the accident occurred at a railway crossing two miles south of Coronado, about thirty-five miles north of Edmonton.

Arrested as Leader Of "Hooded Ones"

EUGENE DELONCLE

SAID to be the founder and organizer of the "Hooded One" Society, who was arrested a few days ago by the French police.

CROP CONTROL BILL ADVANCES

United States House Votes Votes to Allow Limitation Of Production

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The House of Representatives [illegible] President Roosevelt's farm control bill [illegible] 267 to 130 a vote to control the production of crops and the marketing of [illegible] in the United States.

The measure approved [illegible] provides for [illegible] of present payments for soil conserving practices. Cotton, wheat and corn farmers would get this money provided they agreed to abide by acreage limits set by the Secretary of Agriculture. In time of surplus production the Secretary could impose marketing quotas on wheat, corn and cotton farmers if two-thirds of producers voting in referenda agreed. Penalties would be imposed on farmers failing to [illegible] quotas.

The House rejected [illegible] to strike out the section providing for Mr. [illegible] Resolution [illegible] on [illegible] proposed by Mr. [illegible] of Texas.

Adoption of the [illegible] by the House [illegible] was [illegible] by a jam of [illegible] members who had [illegible] the floor [illegible] of the special [illegible]

LEADER [illegible] CEN[illegible]

Attlee Retu[illegible] After Makin[illegible] Supporting

LONDON, Dec. 10 [illegible] Facing a motion of [illegible] House of Commons [illegible] made in Madrid [illegible] Labor Opposition leader [illegible] London today [illegible] any idea the [illegible] is beaten is entirely [illegible]

Mr. Attlee [illegible] on the [illegible] in the House of Commons [illegible] in for point [illegible] of the Government [illegible] that [illegible] Labour [illegible]

He [illegible] da. [illegible] the [illegible] in the [illegible] place.

FAVORS REPUBLICANS

[illegible] in the Commons [illegible] afternoon the Opposition leader was [illegible] Spanish republican chances. He [illegible] pressed the belief of many [illegible] efforts to take Madrid are doomed to failure.

Mr. Attlee had much to say for the moral courage of organization in Government [illegible]. He said [illegible] of an anti-[illegible] in the people's [illegible]. The Fascist [illegible] in part [illegible] moved [illegible] the [illegible] and the defeat [illegible]

Mr. [illegible] of Wimbledon [illegible] Mr. Attlee's trip to Spain. The Earl of Winterton, Conservative member of Parliament, Speaker of Manchester, [illegible] asked Mr. Attlee should more publicity [illegible] of his trip and the attitude he adopted in Spain.

LATE NEWS BULLETINS

VANCOUVER MAN KILLED BY MOTORCYCLE

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10.—C. T. A. Mitchell was killed instantly tonight, when he was struck by the sidecar of a motorcycle while crossing a residential district street. Police said no charge was laid against the driver of the motorcycle, Wilfred Lever.

QUEBEC POLICE SEIZE NEWSPAPERS

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—Seizure of 300 copies of the Toronto newspaper, The Clarion, was announced tonight by provincial officers engaged in Quebec's anti-Communist campaign. The copies in an express shipment, were seized yesterday.

REPORT FINDING OF "MISSING LINK"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—A new "missing-link" between man and the higher apes has just been discovered on the Island of Java, the Carnegie Institution of Washington said tonight. Dr. G. H. R. Von Koenigswald, Dutch scientist of Bandoeng, Java, and a research associate of the institution, reported he had found part of a skull, the lower jaw, and a number of teeth of this part ape, part human creature near the Solo River.

CALIFORNIA SETTLEMENT ISOLATED BY FLOOD

MARYSVILLE, Cal., Dec. 10.—Word reached here tonight that the town of Downieville, mountain settlement of about 450 population, fifty-five miles northeast of here, was isolated and menaced by the worst floods in its ninety years of existence.

KING OF DENMARK ARRIVES IN LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 10.—King Christian and Queen Alexandrine of Denmark, arrived here today for a visit with the royal family.

FEDERAL REVENUE SHOWS BIG GAIN

Political Spectators Speculate on Prospects of Balanced Budget For Year

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—The Treasury tonight issued a statement showing total revenue for the first eight months of the 1937-8 fiscal year at $160,[illegible], an increase of $37,198,245 over the corresponding previous fiscal period.

The report [illegible] while political observers speculated on the prospects of Finance Minister Dunning showing a balanced budget for the year ending March 31, listed expenditures at $321,756,647, a decrease of $2,427,346 from the corresponding 1936-37 figure.

AFRAID OF CONTROVERSY

CALGARY, Dec. 10.—Fear of a controversy halted plans to have Calgary ministers give religious instructions in local schools. A plan was proposed to the school board but it was not adopted.

Industrial Labor Law Amended in Final Discussions

Right to Organize, Collective Bargaining, Conciliation and Arbitration Are Provisions of New British Columbia Industrial Disputes Act

COMPLETED in committee after midnight Thursday, with unprinted amendments being written into the bill by pen, the new British Columbia industrials disputes measure became law yesterday upon third reading, enactment and Royal assent. In closing stages of the bill, Hon. G. S. Pearson said the law was experimental, and could be amended as occasion occurred or need suggested.

The bill was widened in its last moments, being made applicable to plants and establishments which employ "one or more employees." At the same time, the Government refused to bring domestic (household) employees or agricultural workers under its protection.

Clause by clause discussion, in so far as printed sections of the law are concerned, brought out the following points:

ENLARGE ACT'S SCOPE

The original draft made the law referable to industrial operations with "ten or more" employees. "Ten" was changed to "one" in committee, with the explanation by Mr. Pearson that the difference included 40 per cent of the workers of the province.

Whatever measure of Cabinet responsibility exists in the law will rest primarily on the shoulders of the Minister of Labor, named in the statute by amendment in committee.

The law confers the express right to both employers and employees to organize for any lawful purpose.

COLLECTIVE BARGAINING

The collective bargaining clause was changed to read:

"It shall be lawful for employees to bargain—collectively with their employers and to conduct such bargaining through representatives of employees duly elected by a majority vote of the employees affected, and any employer or employees refusing so to bargain shall be liable to a fine not exceeding $500."

How the collective bargaining clause was affected by unprinted amendments, if at all, was not clear in discussion, though Mr. Pearson gave his undertaking that the clause could not be used at any point as a means of coercion.

The law provides for freedom from restraint-of-rights and from intimidation, for either employers or employed; and for continuance of international labor union agreements now or later to be brought into effect. Sections said to apply to "closed shops" were amended further in committee, legalizing "closed shops."

The C.C.F. strove to insure freedom of entry for organizers into all industrial camps and operations, but the Government resisted change of its bill in this respect.

AIM OF MEASURE

Mr. Pearson said flatly that British Columbia would be subjected to an influx of "professional organizers" if the law were altered. The aim of the measure, he said, was to encourage labor to organize, and when that purpose had been achieved, extension of the law would be considered. Professional organizers were not required, and workers could be counted on to organize for themsleves, the Minister of Labor declared.

Sustained objection was offered by the C.C.F. to a printed cause which read:

"Nothing in this act shall detract from or interfere with the right of an employer to suspend, transfer, lay off, or discharge employees for proper and sufficient cause."

A YEAR'S TEST

Defending the clause, Mr. Pearson said the Government had gone quite a long way in presenting the new law, and desired a year's operation of the statute to see how it could be improved. The legislation was experimental, he repeated.

The authority of the Minister of Labor to intervene at discretion where a dispute existed, by appointment of a conciliation commissioner, was ratified.

Under these conditions, the conciliation commissioner must report within fourteen days to the Minister of Labor. Failing conciliation, the dispute may be referred to arbitration by a board of three arbitrators; one each chosen by the disputants, and a chairman mutually selected. Alternatively, the Lieutenant-Governor-in-council may within five ddys name either arbitrator, and a chairman, on default of voluntary selection.

In general amendment of the measure, powers referable at first to the Minister of Labor were restricted in part to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-council, arbitration procedures being among other sections affected.

BRITISH SUBJECTS

Conservatives insisted on provision making only British subjects eligible for the duties of an arbitrator, and this clause was read into the law over objections by the sponsor of the bill. It will apply to both employees and employers' representatives on boards of arbitration.

Arbitration boards are understood to have been given the right of taking evidence on oath, to subpoena, and punish for contempt, though frequent changes in the bill made discussion obscure on this and many other points.

WITHOUT WARRANT

Members of an arbitration board may enter premises, including factories, ships, camps and other places without warrant, inspect these premises and question any person or persons found there. Obstruction to such course is deemed an offence, punishable by a fine of up to $100.

AWARDS' PROCEDURE

Parties to arbitration are bound by their representatives, who become their actual agents. Arbitration awards are to be made "without undue delay," and must be within the terms of minimum wage and hours-of-work legislation. The award must also state what, in the opinion of the arbitrators, should or should not be done. Awards may be made retroactively to the date of application for conciliation. Copies go to all parties and the original to the Province.

Either party may accept or reject the award, but the decision must be reached by secret ballot, the taking of which may be supervised by the Crown. Strikes or lockouts are barred for a period after the award has been made. From conciliation applications to the first open period on strikes or lockouts twenty-nine days must elapse, it was explained.

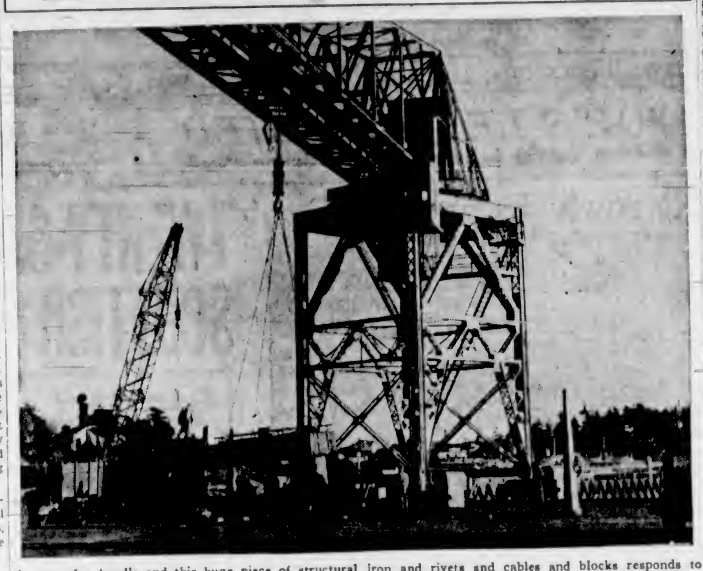
AIM DECLARED

The aim, said the Minister of Labor, was to put the strike, or the lockout, "at the tail of the procession, and not at the head where it now is." On the other hand, the right to strike, or to lockout, was not being abolished, merely delayed.

A general penalty clause provided for fines up to $500, exclusive of the plant-inspection section.

Final clauses in the law provide for repeal of the former British Columbia Industrial Disputes Investigation Act, and grant authority to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-council to make any regulations required to fulfill the spirit of the new act.

When Man Is the Master of Machine



A turn of a handle and this huge piece of structural iron and rivets and cables and blocks responds to the touch of its one operator, in his control tower. This traveling crane is located at the Naval Dockyard, and is here shown lifting a locomotive's water tank, and will set it down in exactly the place desired. The crane is capable of raising and moving pieces of many tons weight.

SAANICH TO SEEK WATER

Seattle Company Will Sink Test Bore Early in the New Year

The Municipality of Saanich intends to proceed with plans for its own water supply, Reeve William Crouch intimated yesterday.

The council, sitting in committee of the whole, has instructed R. R. F. Sewell, municipal clerk, to submit an agreement for ratification at the next meeting, entering into a contract with the Schlesinger Drilling Company, Seattle, for the boring of a test hole.

"We have not yet decided upon the location," Reeve Crouch declared, but admitted the work would start in the "very near future, probably the beginning of January."

"We will find the water first and then decide upon the next steps," he said. "We are sure there is more fresh water underground than there is above the ground."

Further details are expected to be discussed at the council meeting next Thursday evening.

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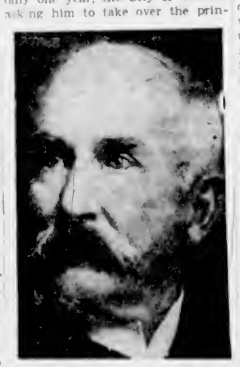
a post with the Esquimalt School as principal, a position he held for only one year, the City of Victoria asking him to take over the principalship of the Victoria High School in September, 1892.



THE LATE DR. E. B. PAUL

SCHOOL ENLARGED

For sixteen years Dr. Paul held the position of principal of the Victoria High School, and during that period saw the school grow from a class containing several grades to a large institution, which eventually had to be housed in what was afterwards known as the Girls' Central School, which was the first high school of any pretentious size that Victoria had.

In 1908, Dr. Paul was rewarded for his long service as principal by being promoted to the position of superintendent of city schools, an office he filled until 1920 when he was again honored by being appointed the first principal of Victoria College.

HIGHLY HONORED

As principal of this institution he also was head of the department of classics, lecturing both in Latin and Greek. Several years ago he was retired with honor, being designated principal emeritus of the institution. Prior to this he was honored by the Aberdeen University and the University of British Columbia in recognition for his services in the advancement of educational facilities and subjects not only in Victoria but the entire Province. The U.B.C., like the Aberdeen University, conferred upon him the degree of doctor of laws.

NOTED SCHOLAR

Dr. Paul was an outstanding scholar in classics, mathematics, literature and science, his proficiency in these subjects being in the order named. He was considered an authority on Latin and Greek, and often was consulted with respect to mathematical subjects by others who also were considrered authorities.

For many years he was engaged as official interpreter by the various courts owing to his knowledge of the Japanese language. This post he relinquished, however when Japanese were able to find interpreters among their own countrymen.

OTHER HONORS

In addition to the honors bestowed upon him by universities and other public institutions, Dr. Paul was frequently honored by bodies of students, whom he had at one time tought, or been associated with. The last such honor conferred upon him was the establishment of a bronze bust of himself in the library of the Victoria High School, the bust having been made at the order of the student body in 1931.

There are many citizens active in business enterprises and other walks of life today who will remember with kindly thoughts the days they spent in the Victoria High School under the supervision of Dr. Paul.

PROMINENT MASON

Dr. Paul belonged to few organizations during his long term of residence in this city, but in the Masonic craft he was an active member, going through all the offices to reach the highest of all in this Province, grand master of the British Columbia Lodge.

Dr. Paul is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ada Paul, at the family residence, 1663 Oak Bay Avenue; one son, A. S. Paul, 1803 Belmont Avenue, and one daughter, Mrs. N. H. Lord, at the family residence. There are also four grandchildren.

OCTOGENARIAN PASSES AWAY

Funeral of Alexander M. Bannerman, Former Alderman, Takes Place Today

Formerly prominent in the business and civic life of the city for a great many years, and highly respected by all sections of the community, Alexander McLennan Bannerman passed away at his residence, 1827 Chambers Street, on Thursday, in his eightieth year.

The late Mr. Bannerman had been a resident of Victoria for fifty years, and was an alderman of the city nearly thirty years ago. He was closely identified with civic life, and until his retirement in 1912, was keenly interested in many activities and organizations. Before his retirement, Mr. Bannerman was in the hay and grain business with Thomas Horne, of Victoria. The deceased was born in Chesley, Ontario.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Fannie Louise Bannerman; one daughter, Miss Irene Bannerman, at home; one son, Percy D. Bannerman, in Vancouver; and a grandson, James McLennan Hurst.

The funeral cortege will leave Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock this afternoon, and proceed to St. Barnabas' Church, where services will be conducted by Rev. N. E. Smith at 2:15. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

B.C. LEGISLATURE CONCLUDES LABORS

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Pattullo and seconded by the Leader of the Opposition.

Some fifteen assorted motions died on the order paper unread.

In expressing the traditional wish that the blessings of Providence would follow the legislators to their homes, Lieutenant-Governor Hamber referred to labor, coal and petroleum, securities, motor vehicles, forest, land, department of trade and placer mining measures as notable Acts of the session.

Freed after seven weeks of restraint, members sang popular airs, hurled sessional documents no longer of use and finally completed their farewells in a round of calls along Mr. Speaker's corridor. The session, with thirty-one working days, saw the rebirth of the British Columbia Conservative party in the Provincial Assembly, under the leadership of Dr. Frank Patterson, M.P.P.

POLICEMAN IS COMPLIMENTED

Magistrate Praises Work of Constable C. J. Webb, Of City Force

From the bench yesterday, Magistrate H. C. Hall paid a compliment to one of the younger members of the city police force, Constable Charles J. Webb, for praiseworthy action in the arrest of George Capstick, who was fleeing with stolen goods taken from the store of W. & J. Wilson.

Capstick charged in the city police court with having broken into the store early yesterday morning and of having stolen goods valued at more than $25, pleaded guilty.

Constable Webb told of having his suspicions aroused when he saw the accused on the street carrying the goods. The accused, when questioned, took flight. The police officer chased him, calling upon him to stop. Finally the officer fired a shot in the air and overtook Capstick in an open space.

IN SIMILAR TROUBLE

The record of the accused, presented to the court by C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, showed that he had been in similar trouble in Vancouver on a number of occasions.

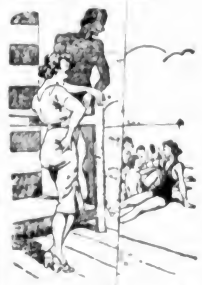
He laid the blame for all his shortcomings upon drink. He said that he was employed by the parks board in Vancouver in the Summer time. He had come over here in an effort to obtain employment. He had started drinking and said that had he not been drunk he would not have been in trouble.

The magistrate reserved sentence until this morning.

The stolen goods included a coat, a shirt, two sweaters, a scarf, a pair of slippers, six pairs of gloves and a pair of socks.

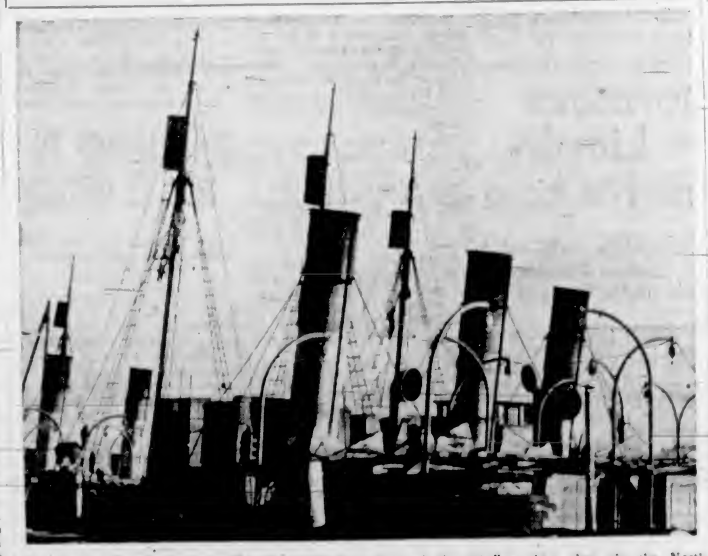
SCOTTISH SENIOR "B" TEAM

Canadian Scottish senior "B" Rugby fifteen for today's match with the Garrison at Macdonald Park will be as follows: Hamilton, Knight, DeMacedo, Williams, Gardner, B. Martin, Hughes, Edmunds, Bray, Coomber, Willard, S. Martin, Mylrea, Tuthill, Morgan and Wallace. Players are asked to be at the park at 2:15 o'clock.



"Go away, Mr. Impest, or my husband will be home."
"Where is your husband?"
"In the middle of those girls over there." — Il 4, Florence

Smokestacks, Mastheads and Crow's Nests



The whaling fleet "at home." The picture shows a part of the whaling ships that ply the North Pacific in search of the mighty monsters of the deep. The vessels are moored at Point Ellice, and when the call comes, they will be refitted and once more search the seas for the oil-bearing mammals.

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With zipper from collar to hem, in striped taffeta. Smartly cut lines $7.95

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In shades of rose and blue $8.95

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Trimmed with satin, ordinary and contrasting piping. Shades of blue, rose, wine and green $4.95

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In all the new shades. Oyster, desert rose, nurose, blue and white $3.95

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GIFTS to Be Bought for 49c

Moodie's Snuggies, in wool and cotton 49c
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Rayon Panties 49c
Rayon Vests, in tea rose 49c
Stanfield's "Gymns" 49c
Brassieres, in lace, lace and satin, all satin and percale, 49c
Garters and Belts 49c

GIFTS to Be Bought for 79c

Cellosuede Panties 79c
Crepe de Chine Panties 79c
Stanfield's part wool Snuggies for 79c
Stanfield's part wool Vests 79c
Rayon Pyjamas 79c
Brassieres 79c

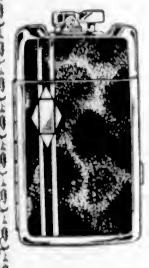
GIFTS to Be Bought for $1.00

Stanfield's Nova-Silk Bobettes for $1
All-Silk Chiffon Hose $1
Heavy Service Weight Hose $1
Morely Lisle Hose $1
Stanfield's Nova-Silk Panties for $1
Stanfield's Nova-Silk Bloomers for $1
All-Silk Crepe Hose $1
Sets, in suede taffeta and lace trimmed $1
Teddies, in suede taffeta, lace trimmed $1
Stanfield's Vests $1
Satin Girdles, in tea rose $1
Rayon Gowns $1
Rayon Pyjamas $1

BRASSIERES
Smart up-lift styles, in lace and lace satin, in shades of white and tea rose. Also evening Brassieres in tea rose, white and black $1

SLIPS
Smart new styles in sueded taffeta and baronette satin embroidered, faggotted and lace trimmed models, also plain tailored with brassiere top. In tea rose and white $1

GIFTS FOR MEN



RONSON LIGHTERS $4.50 to $10
COMBINATION LIGHTERS and CASE, $8.50 to $6.50
PENS $1.25 $10
PENCILS 75c to $5.00
TIE CLIPS 50c to $2.00
WATCH CHAINS $1.00 $25
FLASKS $3.00 $25
BILL FOLDS $1.00 to $5.00
EVENING DRESS SETS $3.00 to $7.50
CIGARETTE BOXES $4.50 $85
CUFF LINKS $1.00 $15
MILITARY BRUSHES $4.00 $25
TRAVELING CASES $7.75 $25
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STATES ALBERTA WANTS SECURITY

Commander Richardson Is Visitor To City Following Survey of Social Credit Conditions

Commander R. C. Richardson, D.S.O., R.N., who came out from England with L. D. Byrne, technical adviser on Social Credit to the Alberta Government, visited Victoria yesterday and left by the afternoon boat for Seattle, en route back to England, via Panama.

Commander Richardson accompanied Mr. Byrne as an impartial observer to ascertain on the spot the position of the Alberta Government. He spent a month in Edmonton and traveling through the country districts.

The people of Alberta were convinced that the resources of the province were sufficient to secure them against privation, and there was a noticeable determination that every citizen should be made reasonably secure, he said yesterday. Pressure from the country districts had demanded results of the Government, and its Social Credit policy had been received favorably.

EGO-CENTRIC

"Bernard Shaw has two enthusiasms." The other is Russia.

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50-lb. bag $3.00
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YELLOW SUGAR 4-lb. bag 26¢

FLOUR
Master Baker
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24-lb. bag $1.09
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WHOLE WHEAT FLOUR 5-lb. bag 25¢
SILVER KING PASTRY FLOUR 5-lb. bag 19¢

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FRESH MEATS

9 TO 11 O'CLOCK SPECIAL
Pork Shoulders 6 to 8 lbs. Per lb. 12½¢

Rump Roasts, lb. 18¢
Rib Roasts, lb. 20¢
Cross Rib Roasts, lb. 15¢
Pot Roasts, lb. 10¢
SIRLOIN STEAK, ROUND STEAK, VEAL STEAK, PORK STEAK 15¢ lb.

Veal, Legs
Veal Shoulders
Rump Veal, lb. 18¢
Loin Veal, lb. 20¢
15¢ lb.
Lamb Legs, lb. 24¢
Lamb Shoulders, lb. 14¢
Lamb Loins, lb. 22¢
Rolled Shoulders, lb. 20¢

Leg Mutton
Loin Mutton
15¢ lb.
Shoulder Mutton, lb. 10¢
Breast Mutton, lb. 8¢

Pork Loins, lb. 22¢
Pork Legs, lb. 20¢
Pork Butts, lb. 18¢
Veal Chops
Lamb Chops
Pork Chops, lb. 22¢
20¢ lb.

Liver
Beef Hearts
8¢ lb.
Minced Beef, lb. 8¢
Sausage Meat, lb. 5¢

LOCAL FOWL, per lb. 20¢ CHICKENS, per lb. 28¢ TURKEYS, per lb. 35¢

FISH DEPT.
WHITING FILLETS per lb. 11¢
SILVER HAKE FILLETS, per lb. 11¢
FRESH LOCAL COD, per lb. 11¢
DRESSED SOLES 2 lbs. 25¢
FRESH WHITING 3 lbs. 14¢
FRESH HERRING 3 lbs. 14¢
SMOKED WHITING, per lb. 10¢
SOOKE CRABS, each 20¢

FRUIT DEPT.
SAIR DATES 2 lbs. 9¢
MIXED NUTS, per lb. 19¢
SMYRNA LAYER FIGS, per lb. 20¢
SUNKIST ORANGES, medium sized, dozen 25¢
LARGE TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT 4 for 23¢
FRESH CARROTS and BEETS 6 bunches 10¢
WHITE CAULIFLOWER, each 5¢

PORK AND BEANS, 16-oz.
COOKED SPAGHETTI, 16-oz.
WATERCRESS SALMON, tall
CUT GREEN BEANS
2 Tins 15¢

BACON
Smoked Picnics, lb. 16¢
Smoked Butts, whole or half, lb. 23¢
Sliced Side Bacon, lb. 30¢
Sliced Back Bacon, lb. 34¢
Whole or half, piece, lb. 32¢
Centre Ham Slices, 2 for 25¢

DELICATESSEN
BOLOGNA, per lb. 14¢
JELLIED TONGUE, per lb. 45¢
MEAT AND CHEESE LOAF, per lb. 28¢
SWEET GHERKINS, ½ pint 18¢
MINCEMEAT, at 2 lbs. 19¢
PICKLED PIGS' FEET 2 lbs. 21¢

DRIED FRUITS
SULTANA RAISINS 2 lbs. for 19¢
RECLEANED CURRANTS 2 lbs. for 21¢
CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS RAISINS, per lb. 15¢
SEEDED RAISINS, per lb. 16¢
GLACE CHERRIES, per ½ lb. 17¢
CRYSTALLIZED GINGER, per lb. 14¢
RUM AND BRANDY EXTRACT, one teaspoonful equal to one cup of rum or brandy. Per bottle 25¢

CANDY
Victoria Mixed
Royal Mixed
Licorice Allsorts
Crystal Mixed
15¢ lb.
Christmas Jelly Beans
Scotch Mints
Licorice Rolls
17¢ lb.
Cleeve's English Toffees, Fudge Rolls, per lb. 19¢

SMOKE SHOP
KENT CIGARETTE or PIPE MIXTURE, ½ lb. 59¢
TUCKETT'S MARGUERITE CIGARS, Christmas Wrapped 50¢
ARCHER FINE CUT, ¼-lb. tin 50¢
RAY'S SPECIAL PIPE TOBACCO, ½ lb. 35¢
200 Sweet Canoral Cigarettes $2.00
Christmas Wrapped WILLARD'S CHOCOLATES, 5-lb. box, Special $1.35
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JELLY POWDERS 3¢ pkt.

SPECIAL
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49-lb. bag $1.65
24-lb. bag 87¢
10-lb. bag 42¢

Windsor Salt 1½'s 3¢ pkt.

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Christmas Tree Light Sets, complete, Special 69¢
CHRISTMAS CARDS, regular 5c, Week-end special 10 for 25¢
Men's Shaving Sets, regular $1.00, Special 79¢
Christmas Cellophane Ribbon, reg. 10c, Special 2 for 15¢
We Have a Large Variety of Christmas Crackers
Christmas Seals, 5c size, Special 2 for 7¢
Flashlights, complete, with batteries, Special 39¢
VICK'S VAPO-RUB, 50c size, Special 41¢
Flashlight Batteries 2 for 9¢
Kleenex, 500s 39¢ 200s, at 17¢
Ironized Yeast Tablets, $1.25 size, Special 83¢
Edme Malt Extract and Cod Liver Oil, 2-lb. jar 62¢
Borden's Chocolate Malted Milk, 16-oz. Special 35¢
Johnson's Fluid Beef, 16-oz. Special 87¢
Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, 16-oz. Special 35¢
TOOTH BRUSHES, extra special, each 5¢
Vacuum Bottles, guaranteed, Special 28¢
Oxo Cubes, large size, Special 19¢

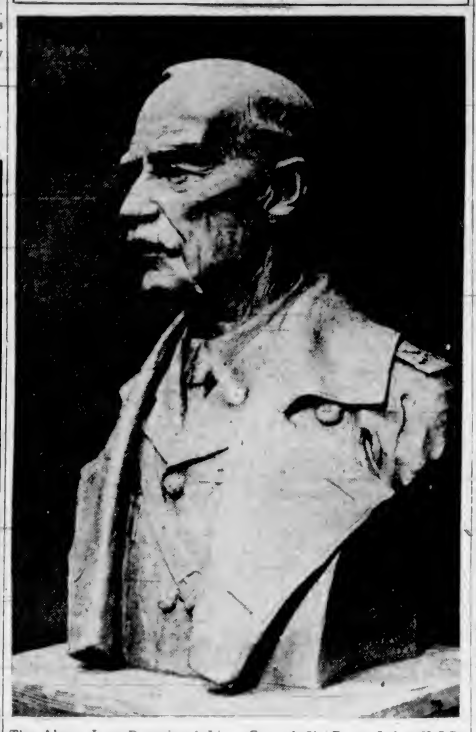
Tuna Flakes, ¼'s, tin
Pilchards, tall tins
Kellogg's All-Wheat, pkt.
Wheat, Corn or Rice Puffs, pkt.
2 for 15¢

BUTTER FIRST GRADE per lb. 34¢ 3 lbs. $1.00
CHEESE CANADIAN, mild flavor, per lb. 19¢
CANADIAN, medium flavor, per lb. 25¢
Danish Blue, lb. 45¢
Gorgonzola, lb. 48¢
Dutch Skim Milk, lb. 32¢
EGGS
GRADE A LARGE, dozen 32¢
GRADE B LARGE, dozen 29¢
GRADE A PULLET, dozen 28¢

Nabob Asparagus tips and ends 10¢ tin
Assorted Toilet Soaps 3 for 10¢
BLUING 8¢ lge. bot.
Spring Clothespins 3 doz. 11¢
My-Te-Fine Soap Flakes 9¢ 1-lb. pkt.
MINCEMEAT 1-lb. cartons 15¢
Quaker Sweet Corn large 2's 2 for 19¢
COFFEE 16¢ lb.
TEA Broken Orange Pekoe 39¢ lb.
Mixed Peel cups 22¢ 1-lb. pkt.
CRISCO 1-lb. tin 58¢
Pure Olive Oil large 32-oz. tin 98¢
Vanilla Flavoring 10¢ 4-oz. bot.
Climax JAMS 35¢ 4-lb. tin
Farrow's Marrowfat PEAS 10¢ pkt.
MATCHES boxes in pkt. 7¢ pkt.
Robin Hood Oats With Silverware 26¢ pkt.
Empress HONEY 19¢ bot.

Pure Orange Marmalade 32-oz. glass jar 19¢
Orchard City PEAS sieve 4 large 2's 3 for 25¢
O'Cedar Oil regular 25c 20¢ btl.
D.C.L. MALT 95¢ tin
English MALT 85¢ tin
Cox's Gelatine 14¢ pkt.
Dominion HOPS, ¼'s 7¢ pkt.
EMPRESS PEANUT BUTTER, 2's 23¢ tin
Special WALNUT MEATS 19¢ lb.
Special Cut Mixed Peel 19¢ lb.
SWEET PRUNES 3 lbs. 19¢
MILK All Brands large 2 tins 19¢
RICE 5¢ lb.
Ripe Olives 32 in tin 9¢ tin
Pineapple cubes or slices 8¢ tin
PEACHES 11¢ tin
PEARS 11¢ tin
IDEAL TOMATO KETCHUP 7¢ btl.

A Distinguished Victorian



The Above Is a Portrait of Lieut.-General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., Chairman of the Board of Governors of Shawnigan Lake School, Taken From a Bust Executed by Mr Arthur J. Tracy.

JAMES HOPKINS DIES AT HOME

Well-Known Fairfield Resident Was Former Mayor Of Moose Jaw

There passed away yesterday evening, at the family residence, 316 Moss Street, after a lengthy illness, James E. Hopkins, in his eighty-seventh year. Mr. Hopkins was born in Oxford County, Ontario, where he spent the early years of his life. In 1877 he married Margaret Fullerton, who predeceased him on October 19 of this year. Last March 6 Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding.

For many years Mr. Hopkins was engaged in the dairy business, subsequently being appointed superintendent of dairying for the Dominion Government in the Maritime Provinces, where he remained for a period of ten years.

In 1901 he moved to Moose Jaw and became active in the development of that community until it became a city of 22,000. Mr. Hopkins was elected mayor of Moose Jaw in 1912. Upon his retirement in 1915 he came to this city.

ARDENT CHURCHMAN

Always prominently identified in church, welfare and community work, in this and other cities, Mr. Hopkins was a valued member of both the Metropolitan and Fairfield United Churches. The Beacon Hill Bowling Club will remember Mr. Hopkins as being an enthusiastic member for many years.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Paul Green, 316 Moss Street. A son, Dr B. A. Hopkins, New Westminster, predeceased him in January, 1933. He leaves also one brother, J. W. Hopkins, at Brownsville, Ont.; a granddaughter, Miss Betty Hopkins, New Westminster, and nieces and nephews in various parts of Canada and the United States.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later. It is specially requested that no flowers be sent.

Obituary

PETERS—Ven. Archdeacon Nunns officiated at funeral services held in this city Friday afternoon, for the late Thomas Lee Peters. Many beautiful floral tributes were received, testifying to the high esteem in which Mr. Peters was held. The remains were forwarded to Vancouver, where the Ven. Francis C Heathcote, Archdeacon of Vancouver, will conduct services this morning in the chapel of Ocean View Crematorium.

WILLARD — Mrs. May Willard, aged forty-seven years, passed away yesterday morning at her home, Wilson Road, Sidney. She is mourned by her husband, Edward Richard Willard; one daughter, Marjorie Elaine; four sisters, Mrs. H. Jackson and Mrs. G. Veitch, Seattle, Mrs. F. Goodrich and Mrs. Dorothy Webster, Vancouver, and one brother, R. Brown, Montana. The remains are resting at McCall Bros. Funeral Home, where a private funeral service will be conducted, followed by cremation. No flowers, by special request.

WEST—In this city on Thursday, the death occurred of Miss Frances West, aged ninety years, of 2107 Sayward Avenue. Miss West was born in the county of Wellington, Ontario, and had been a resident of Victoria for the last fifteen years. She is mourned by a brother, Robert West, Mission City and several nephews and nieces in British Columbia. The funeral will take place this morning at 11 o'clock from McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Rev. James Hood will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park.

SHONG — The funeral of Wong Shong, who passed away in this city on December 6, will be held this morning at 10 o'clock from McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

KEMP—The funeral of the late Janet Kemp will be held this afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Home at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

REDHEAD—Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in McCall Bros. Funeral Home for the late Sarah Ann Redhead. Rev. Robert Connell and Rev. Arthur Bischlager will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

FULTON—Funeral service for the late Peter Fulton will take place this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Rev. Peter McNabb will conduct the service, after which the remains will be laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park. The funeral will be private and it is requested that friends kindly omit flowers.

EVANS—A large congregation and a profusion of beautiful floral tributes marked the funeral held yesterday afternoon for the late Miss Alys Violet Amelia Evans. R. Wilson conducted the service in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. The hymn sung by the congregation was "Strength and Stay." The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park. The following were pallbearers: J. A. Grant, R. C. J. Were, H. Hawlet, R. V. D. Guthrie, S. M. Lamb and W. Parry.

Daughter's Quest Ended by Letter Sent to Editor

The quest of Mrs. Margaret M. O'Neill-White, of Australia, who for over thirty years has been seeking her missing father, William O'Neill, is ended.

Mrs. O'Neill-White communicated with the editor of The Colonist, declaring that her father had last been heard of in the vicinity of Nanaimo in 1902 or 1903. The letter was published and, in addition, the information was sent to Up-Island newspapers.

On Wednesday, Mrs. William Roper, Nanaimo, informed The Free Press of that city that she had known Mr. O'Neill quite well, and that he had died in Comox Hospital, well past the seventy-year mark. Verification was received through Father Ronald Beaton, Comox, and the hospital authorities at that point.

The information has been forwarded to Mrs. O'Neill-White by Mrs. Roper.

Revision Court In Saanich Adds To Voters' List

The Saanich Court of Revision, composed of Councillors John Oliver and John Watson, sitting under the chairmanship of Reeve William Crouch, yesterday placed fifty-six names on the municipal voters' list and removed twenty-five. The net gain is, therefore, thirty-one.

A total of 7,799 persons are entitled to vote in the municipality. Representation by wards follows: Ward One, 1,181; Ward Two, 1,375; Ward Three, 741; Ward Four, 1,107; Ward Five, 799; Ward Six, 634; Ward Seven, 1,660; school districts, 271; added by court of revision, 31; total, 7,799.

M'GAVIN HAS MAJORITY OF 2,137 VOTES

Mayor's Lead Over Dr. J. D. Hunter Is Boosted by Recount of Ballots

COUNCIL AND TRUSTEE STANDINGS UNCHANGED

Mayor Andrew McGavin's lead over Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P., who contested the mayoralty at the civic elections on Thursday, jumped from 1,501 to 2,173 votes when results of the official recount were made known late yesterday afternoon by M. Frank Hunter, returning officer. Mayor McGavin polled 4,193 votes against his opponent's 2,020.

No mayoralty candidate has had such a large majority since December 12, 1934, when David Leeming beat W. H. Sargent by 3,239 votes. Twelve years ago J. Carl Pendray defeated Mr. Sargent by 2,550 votes in a contest for mayor.

During the recount in the School Board office all day yesterday, Mr. Hunter found that an error on the part of a scrutineer Thursday night accounted for the incorrect total of Mayor McGavin's majority. No recount has yet been made on the total number of ballots cast, which stood at 6,250 on Thursday.

RECOUNT FIGURES

Official figures follow:

FOR MAYOR

Mayor Andrew McGavin	4,193
Dr. J. D. Hunter, M.P.P.	2,020
Mayor McGavin's majority	2,137

FOR ALDERMEN
Two-Year Terms
(First five elected)

Ald. S. H. Okell	3,350
Ald. Edward Williams	3,054
Capt. B. J. Gadsden	2,983
Ald. R. A. C. Dewar	2,912
William H. Davies	2,825
Ald. T. W. Hawkins	2,530
Duncan D. McTavish	2,514
Walter Luney	2,253
Mrs. Alice McGregor	1,605
Henry A. Morley	1,045
Walter Inward	657
Harold O. Simpson	625

FOR ALDERMAN
One-Year Term
(First one elected)

Alex Peden	2,475
John Day	1,898
Fred J. Crowhurst	705
James E. Savident	442

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEES
(First four elected)

W. Percy Marchant	3,724
Trustee W. E. Staneland	3,662
Frank G. Mulliner	3,544
Trustee John Wallace	3,454
Trustee C. R. Bishop	3,349

TO BE SWORN IN

Mrs. A. S. Christie and R. H. Green were declared elected to the school board by acclamation prior to the contests when no other candidates appeared for two one-year seats. Alderman-Elect Alex Peden will be sworn in at the City Hall this morning to take his place on the City Council Monday evening. He will occupy a one-year term caused by resignation of Dr. Hunter. Newly elected and re-elected members of the council and school board will not be sworn in until January 3.

In the aldermanic field for five two-year seats, the recount showed slight increases for Aldermen Okell and Dewar. Positions of those elected remained unchanged.

Mr. Peden's lead over Mr. Day for a one-year term showed a slight increase.

GIVEN INCREASE

In the school board field, Messrs. Marchant and Mulliner's count also showed an increase.

Rejected single ballots for mayor totaled thirty-six; for the one-year council term, 733; for school trustees, 489; and for aldermen, 123. The total was 1,381. They were unmarked or voided for uncertainty, marked outside the square provided or contained crosses for too many candidates.

Seven complete sets of ballots were rejected because all entries were marked outside squares; two were mutilated; ten contained writing or unnecessary marks; ten were left entirely blank, and sixteen were wrongly composed.

STORM LINGERS OVER BIG AREA

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among city and suburban dwellers virtually marooned in the heaviest December snowstorm that has swept off Lake Erie in years.

Ten lives have been claimed in Buffalo, N.Y., and vicinity.

HEAVY SNOWFALL

Thirty inches of snow, driven by strong winds, fell in three days in the hardest hit locality—North Buffalo and suburban towns. More snow and wind were forecast.

The Red Cross sent food and medicine on sleds to isolated cases. Expert skiers were ordered to various communities where snowdrifts formed over roads as fast as ploughs cleared them.

Heavy rains disrupted communications in Panama, where a work train was derailed by a landslide in the Canal Zone.

Landslides caused by heavy rains closed the Southern Pacific Railroad's main line over the Sierra Nevada Mountains and halted highway traffic.

TRAPPED BY ICE

At Detroit, tugs and coast guard cutters were attempting to free lake freighters trapped by jammed ice. An oil tanker which set out from Cleveland to Chicago was forced back by ice and heavy seas.

Drivers of sixty trucks and two passenger cars were marooned at Glenn, Mich., with little to eat but pancakes. Snow reached a depth of thirty-four inches in lower and western portions of the state, where a locomotive pushing a snow plough overturned at Eau Claire.

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RETURNING TO UNITED KINGDOM

The trend of emigration is, as a rule, to wherever prosperity is greatest. That has been illustrated, so far as British lands are concerned, by figures given in the British House of Commons by Mr. Malcolm MacDonald. There are now more people migrating from Australia to the United Kingdom than vice versa. Where in 1929 there were 18,377 migrants from the United Kingdom to Australia and 9,516 immigrants from there to the United Kingdom, ever since, each year, it is the United Kingdom that has benefitted in population at the expense of the Commonwealth. In the seven years, 1930-1936 (inclusive), there were 31,991 migrants from the United Kingdom to Australia and 55,284 immigrants from there to the United Kingdom.

The story affecting New Zealand is much the same. In 1929 that Dominion received 4,700 migrants from the United Kingdom and there were 2,704 immigrants to the Mother Country. Since then, from 1930-1936, New Zealand has benefitted by 13,127 migrants from the United Kingdom and in the same time has lost 18,303 of its inhabitants who have gone to the United Kingdom. The tale shows a greater discrepancy in the case of Canada. In 1929 this Dominion received 65,558 migrants from the United Kingdom, and 12,294 of the inhabitants of Canada left to settle in the United Kingdom. In 1930 the percentage remained in favor of Canada, with 31,074 persons coming here from the United Kingdom and 15,820 leaving for the Motherland. Since then, however, it is the United Kingdom that has been the beneficiary, and to a large extent, at the expense of this country's population. In the six years, 1931-1936, Canada absorbed 19,590 migrants from the United Kingdom, but in the same period 87,369 persons left this country to settle down in the Motherland. Here are the figures year by year:

	Migrants from U.K.	Immigrants to U.K.
1931	7,620	17,864
1932	3,104	21,187
1933	2,243	16,371
1934	2,167	12,128
1935	2,175	9,712
1936	2,281	10,107

LADY McBRIDE

The passing generation that recalls the late Sir [illegible] McBride as the greatest political figure [illegible] British Columbia will learn with [illegible] of the death, at Vancouver, [illegible] Lady McBride was well known [illegible] Victorians, but to many throughout [illegible], and known always as an excellent mother, and one who proved through- [illegible] married life a helpmate of many parts [illegible] distinguished husband. Since his death [illegible] had led a retired life, for the most part in [illegible] city, and it was here that she had the [illegible] atest number of friends, all of whom were admirers of her womanhood, her broad outlook, her [illegible] variable interest and concern about matters affecting the welfare of the Province she loved so well, and the rich, human qualities she brought to bear on her relationships in life. Profound sympathy, in which The Colonist joins, will go out to the married daughters who survive, and to other relations of a family which has set its seal on the history of British Columbia.

SATISFYING BRITISH MARKET

Last Summer Mr. A. M. Shaw, director of marketing service for the Dominion Department of Agriculture, accompanied by a staff of experts, visited the United Kingdom to investigate the market there for Canadian farm products. For a month they made a close study, gathering information from representative sources on every conceivable angle affecting Canada's trade with the Old Country. Within the last few days their findings have been published and these form one of the most valuable contributions yet made on the subject. The recommendations are specific and relatively simple, and obviously are based upon common-sense deductions, recognizing that Canadian products must compete against those of other Dominions and foreign countries under severe conditions. The recommendations seek the establishment of export regulations designed to bring steady improvement in volume and value of agricultural products shipped to the British Isles.

The investigators paid close attention to the demands of the British consumers. They found out what the housewife buys and why she buys as she does. They examined the Canadian products that were offered, determined wherein they failed to satisfy the consumer and what there was about agricultural products of other lands that gave them an advantage over similar goods offered by Canada. They came to the conclusion that it was possible for this Dominion to build up a much larger and steadier market and that basically the quality of Canadian products was not inferior to those against which they were competing. Where improvement was necessary it was found that such could be obtained by relatively simple changes in handling or packing methods to meet the demands of the consumer. For example, the British housewife wants whole tomatoes when she opens a tin and will accept the poorer quality and flavor of the Italian and Spanish product because the tomatoes are not broken and in pieces. Another complaint she has against the Canadian products, which applies through the full range of tinned goods, is that there are no standards of quality; that "choice," for example, is no guarantee of the quality of the product.

The recommendations made to the Canadian Government are based on these and other findings of a similarly detailed nature. Three steps are suggested: Intensive educational and inspectional services in Canada to make sure that a constant and standard quality of high-grade farm merchandise is produced here specifically for the British market; an extensive campaign to impress British food-handlers and importers of farm animals with the advantages of developing the Canadian business; and a constant effort to impress the British housewife with the high quality of Canadian agricultural products. Each of the main recommendations is described in great detail in the report, and methods of procedure in each instance are proposed.

There is no question that the report contains valuable and workable recommendations. Whether the Federal Government will act upon it remains to be seen, but it is obvious that if Canada is to enjoy a larger share of the British market steps will have to be taken to ensure constancy of quality, constancy of supply, and adequate advertising. Merchandising methods will have to be improved. Processing, packaging and labeling must be designed to fill the specific demands of the British public. Haphazard methods will have to give way to systematic supply based on consumer demand and preference.

DR. E. B. PAUL

One of the most kindly-hearted as well as efficient educationists who ever took a part in the school life of British Columbia has passed on in the death of Dr. Edward B. Paul. There are two generations who remember him well, and many of those belonging to them, at one time or another, appreciated him and benefited from the depths of his learning and his humane attitude toward life. Dr. Paul's association with education in this community extended over a quarter of a century, and throughout it he attracted and held the loyalty of the young, and always showed a comradely interest in their work and play. All there was to be remembered of him comes to mind again on this sad occasion, as it has come to mind so often to so many Victorians who knew him in years long past.

Dr. Paul had a varied career, but he is best remembered as an educationist. He might have become a figure in a sphere of greater material opportunities, because at one time he was in the diplomatic service, and it can readily be imagined that he had the abilities and tact to win promotion in that field. As it was, his twelve years in that field brought him recognition of which anyone might well have been proud. His heart lay in the work of education. As Principal of the High School, as Municipal Inspector of Schools, and as Principal of Victoria College, his associations were bound up with students of all ages, many of whom now are prominent in the business and professional life of this community, and of other communities far afield. His life had manifold activities, and among them was that of Freemasonry, in which he held high place and won the esteem of all those associated with him. His whole career was an asset to the life of the community, and he was revered by all who knew him. The deepest sympathy will go out to his widow, his son and daughter and grandchildren, who mourn a man of high parts.

Whatever the Irish Free State's independence has accomplished it has not led to population growth. That portion of Ireland is suffering a decline in inhabitants. Last year there were 6,000 fewer than in 1926, and there is an estimate of a decrease of 21,000 for the year ending June last. The Irish are emigrating to "Perfidious Albion."

Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., says: "Mankind is wandering in heart-breaking perplexity, bewildered by many false prophets and discouraged by many false hopes." The fault lies exclusively with mankind for becoming the prey of words instead of profiting by experience.

There is no beautifier of complexion or form or behaviour like the wish to scatter joy, and not pain, around us.—Emerson.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7:00 p.m., December 10, 1937.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The severe storm now centred near Queen Charlotte Islands has caused southerly gales, with rain, on the South Coast, and moderate to heavy snowfalls in Northern British Columbia and in the Southern Interior, where temperature is moderating.

The weather remains cold in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5:00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.28	35	50
Nanaimo	.45	33	49
Vancouver	.40	32	52
Kamloops	.01	12	32
Prince George	.12	4*	4
Estevan Point	.50	46	54
Prince Rupert	.32	28	36
Langara	.24	32	34
Atlin		20*	16*
Dawson		40*	34*
Seattle	.37	40	56
Portland	.71	36	48
San Francisco	.16	58	68
Spokane	.37	22	34
Los Angeles	.19	54	62
Penticton		20	
Kelowna	.05	18	28
Grand Forks	.30	14	28
Nelson	.65	19	27
Kaslo		11	
Cranbrook	.60	12	32
Calgary		10*	8
Edmonton	.10	22*	4*
Swift Current	--	16*	14
Moose Jaw	--	18*	4
Prince Albert	--	36*	4*
Saskatoon	--	34*	2
Qu'Appelle	--	26*	4
Winnipeg	--	4*	2
Thursday—			
Toronto	--	14	24
Ottawa	--	12	22
Saint John	--	24	36
Halifax	--	38	42

*—Below zero.

FRIDAY

Minimum	35
Maximum	50
Average	42
Minimum on the grass	35

Sunshine, December 10, 2 hrs.

5:00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.18; wind, E., 12 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.18; wind, SE., 6 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.42; wind, E., 8 miles; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 29.36, wind, N., 4 miles; snowing.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 28.80; wind, NW., 4 miles; snowing.

Langara—Barometer, 28.72; wind, NE, 20 miles; snowing.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 28.94; wind, SE., 24 miles; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.06; wind, S., 20 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 29.32; wind, SE., 6 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.22, wind, SE., 18 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.84, wind, SW., 18 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment

By Sandham Graves

Lost in the press of other matters, a little speech by the Member for Fort George was made in the British Columbia Legislature, along about 1:23 on the cold grey morning of December 10. It was a thoughtful little speech, provoked by a resolution suggesting that legislators could possibly improve the means by which laws are made, when made in the Legislature. Mr. H. G. Perry, former Speaker of the British Columbia Legislature, declared parliamentary procedure had not changed very much in something like 800 years. While, continued the Member, that was true, it was nevertheless an undoubted fact that in preserving the forms of parliament someone might lose sight of the spirit behind procedure. It was time, he said, to revise some of the methods by which bills are prepared, introduced, advanced, explained, and made into law; and time to revise some of the rules that have grown up in an assembly only to defeat rather than advance free discussion. All of which, and there was a good deal more of it, coming from an experienced debater and a former Speaker, made an impression, late though the hour was. Mr. Perry was in favor of precedent and tradition, but also of sensible application of those factors.

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In the session just closed, two bills of importance came into the House in the last few days, while the Assembly was sitting twice and three times a day. Both measures advanced almost concurrently; went into committee a few hours apart, and out of committee with numerous amendments, some of which were not at that time printed. On another group of bills, Ministerial explanations, customarily advanced in our Assemblies on second reading, were "deferred" until committee stages, and in some instances left a little to the imagination. Some measures passed three stages at one sitting, to enactment. Other measures were enacted within five hours of their first introduction. Let it be said that the Assembly assented to all these things. The suspicion might rest that consent was at times due to plain weariness; but that might be an unjust suspicion, and therefore is not justified. The record, however, is clear on one point: laws were made in haste. That is a poor way of making law, or of making any other decision of importance.

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Not so long ago the procedure in handling bills in our Legislature was fairly well defined, and any divergence from formula was resented. Thus, for example, the first word of a proposed statute was given in the Speech from the Throne, and certainly all major bill titles were included there. The second warning came by notice on the order paper some days in advance of introduction. The third warning was by way of introduction of a fully-printed bill, usually in complete and final form. Then followed first-reading, and postponement until the next or later sittings. When offered for second reading, the bill was explained substantially, giving the House a clear indication of the aims, scope and application of the measure. If it were a public bill, a Minister made the explanation; and never did he ask that such explanation be deferred. Second reading approved the principle of the law; committed the House to the passage of some kind of a law on that subject. Discussion in committee followed, and there the rules provide that bills shall be read clause-by-clause and line-by-line. Few bills in those days were "taken as read," and bills read clause-by-clause and line-by-line had few loopholes, and no blanket regulation sections infringing on the rights of parliaments to make their laws, and all of them. So read and mastered, the bills would be completed in committee, with or without amendments. If to be amended, the amendments appeared in print on the order paper, or the House would not consider them. There is no such thing as oral law, or law by inference.

Amending clauses would be scissored out of the order paper, pasted on to the proper forms, and made an actual, physical part of the bill. Completed in committee without amendment, the measure earned third reading and got it only at that point. Completed with amendments, the bill was stood over for a further sitting, and then made law. Five divisions on a single bill was not unusual, and every division is a fully recorded expression of the House.

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Perhaps it was a little of all this, only in much more able language, that Mr. Perry was recalling in his speech in the early morning hours of Friday, the day of prorogation; the day on which two major bills were enacted, without division at any point in their passage through the House. I would not trust my recollection of the subject now, but forty-eight Members will know wherein a former Speaker hit the mark. It might be time, said Mr. Perry, to revise the way of making laws in Parliament, not by new precedents, but by going back to practices and principles that once held sway. It is a poor bill that is not fully before each Member as he passes on it; before him in substance and in fact; before him in print upon his own desk; before him as fully as before Mr. Speaker, the Clerk of the House and Administration benches. A poor bill and poor bills make poor law. Poor laws must be revised and changed. They limp along in life, and sicken early. They get into the courts, and puzzle jurists. They seldom live for long. It matters not a jot how well intended may be the plan behind the law. Our laws are coded, and the code is put in language. There is no oral law. There is no law of good intentions, but what it lives the longer for having been submitted to the test of fitting language. To say which is to reflect not at all on any bill, or any Act of the session now ended; nor its aim nor intent; but, conceding the best of all intentions, to suggest no law should be made in haste.

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Politics

This thing called politics provides the greater part of the news of today, of yesterday and of tomorrow. We have heard in past months the thunder of a Federal by-election, of a provincial election, and the obbligato of the civil poll — a staccato, machine-gun clatter compared with the crashing roar of the rising barrage of Federal election verbosity. Now, within a month, we are to have more municipal elections, and shall listen perhaps only to a little gentle sniping. . . . Across the Bay these past few weeks they have written laws that will interest all Canada. One of our citizens is soon to go to Ottawa, there to help frame the laws that govern the nation. And the nation, directed by the vote of the people, and the politics of the people, in its relationship to other nations, makes a thousand headlines in a thousand papers from Victoria to Halifax every month of the year. —B.G.

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It's a Worthy Cause

Congratulations are due to the local Scouts and their Scoutmasters for their untiring work in reconditioning toys for children of the needy. For several years now these boys—and we must not overlook the Girl Guides, who help considerably—have been devoting their free time in an effort to bring cheer at Christmas time to those less fortunate. There is one thing they ask, however, and that is the support of all citizens. But this is not asking too much, for every home must have some toy, game or children's book, that has outlived its usefulness to the family, but can be repaired or repainted by the Scouts to produce a welcome Yule gift. So remember, the Scouts are doing their part, so how about the citizens of Victoria responding generously?—W.I.F.

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Glancing Over Sport

Two scribes in the Province are advocating for substitutes in English Rugby. Well, they can do all the advocating they want through their columns, but the governing body in the Old Country, by whose rules we abide out here, will not stand for any such a ruling. It is considered quite the proper thing to do in Rugby when a player is injured on one side for the opposing team to drop a player. Then, too, if a team should be two men short, it it considered quite all right for the other team to drop a player and loan the opposition a man. This, mind you, is optional for the team with the most players. It is often done in intermediate leagues and there is no valid reason why it cannot be done in senior company. The difficulties with substitutes for English Rugby, as in other games, is that our officials are looking much farther than our own backyard. They even have in mind the prohibiting of our players visiting Britain and other countries where the game is played and where the governing bodies are adamant against any replacements. If we were to start subbing, we would probably find our players barred from playing overseas. . . . Today's winners at a glance: Toronto, Canadiens, Dominoes, J.B.A.A., Toronto Argos, Victoria West and Victoria City.—J.D.

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Two Kinds of People

Salesman Horace, who has been silent for a long time since moving his tepee from Douglas to Quadra Street, informed us humanity may be broadly divided into two classes: those who do the talking, and those who are eager to learn. . . . Bill, the Broad Street barber, knows a lot about heads, although he is far from being a phrenologist. Long ago he came to the conclusion that a woman likes a man with a good head on his shoulders, providing that it is not another woman's. . . . When a girl says she bought a dress for a ridiculous price, does she mean she got it for an absurd figure? . . . It is odd, but blunt persons always come to the point first. . . . And now the Christmas spirit is about to be removed from the moth balls. . . . "How can I get a return for my money?" might be answered by chirping "Buy a railway ticket."—G.B.

WHAT NEXT?

First Laborer: "You orter take a pleasure in yer work," the boss says, "you orter delight in comin' ter work."

Second Laborer: "Oh! 'E'll be wantin us ter pay entertainment tax next."

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

DECEMBER

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1937.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7 44	4 20	17	8 00	4 19
2	7 46	4 20	18	8 01	4 18
3	7 47	4 19	19	8 01	4 18
4	7 48	4 19	20	8 02	4 20
5	7 49	4 18	21	8 02	4 20
6	7 50	4 19	22	8 03	4 21
7	7 51	4 18	23	8 03	4 21
8	7 52	4 18	24	8 04	4 22
9	7 52	4 18	25	8 04	4 22
10	7 53	4 18	26	8 05	4 23
11	7 55	4 18	27	8 05	4 24
12	7 56	4 18	28	8 05	4 25
13	7 57	4 18	29	8 05	4 26
14	7 58	4 18	30	8 05	4 27
15	7 59	4 18	31	8 05	4 28
16	7 58	4 18			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales, Victoria, B.C.

Letters to the Editor

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ZEBALLOS — A RETRACTION

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To all parties affected by the publication of the letter, the Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, Limited, offers a full apology for publication of the letter and for giving publicity to the statements contained in such letter of December 10, 1937.

The Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, Limited,
Per Editor,
C. SWAYNE.

Victoria, B.C., December 10, 1937.

THE SCOTT EXPEDITION

Sir,—Your "Note and Comment" column has been guilty many times of "crime," literally, that is, but the cutting which I enclose is the worst yet, under date December 3 this year:

(1) Captain Scott and his unfortunate comrades were not marooned in any sense.

(2) They were all sick except, possibly, Bowers.

(3) Oates was probably off his head and went outside the tent and shot himself, he being the only member of the party armed.

(4) Scott stresses that Seaman Evans died a natural death.

(5) Oates' sacrifice did not do his comrades any good; they all died.

(6) The only real heroes of the expedition were Seamen Crean and Lashly, who saved "Teddy" Evans, the former walking alone thirty-six miles—two biscuits and a stick of chocolate—to get assistance for his party.

(7) The whole Polar expedition was doomed from the day ponies and internal combustion sledges were chosen instead of dogs.

CHARLES FLICK.

Mayne Island, B.C., December 6, 1937.

SPORTING NEWS

Sir,—Why is it that smeared across the front page of the sporting section we find accounts of Old Country soccer, Eastern hockey and Southern racing, yet are unable to get any reports whatever of some of our own local Rugby and soccer matches, or if there is one it is condensed so much that it means nothing to anyone? The reason Vancouver gets crowds to its local matches, and, incidentally, increases the circulation of its papers, is because they have the sense to see that if they build up the game, the players and spectators will like to read about it, and buy their papers to do so. This applies specially to the younger players, who are our spectators and purchasers of tomorrow.

The Seattle and Chicago papers devote ten columns to high school Rugby each week in the season, and a gate of 100,000 people saw a high school game in Chicago at Soldiers Field last November. You may be quite sure there were 50,000 extra copies of Chicago papers sold after that match. How about it, Mr. Editor? Are we going to get some local sporting news, or do we have to go elsewhere for it?

D'ARCY MARTIN.

1512 Vining Street, Victoria, B.C., December 7, 1937.

THE PRICE OF BREAD

Sir,—I understand that the Government is supposed to control the price of foodstuffs and I am wondering who controls the price of bread, "the staff of life." In England I believe a four-pound loaf costs sixpence and made of Canadian flour, too! Strange isn't it?

WALTER W. JOSEPHS.

R.M.D. 1, Duncan, B.C., December 6, 1937.

A NAVAL AND MILITARY TATTOO

Sir,—With reference to an item in the newspaper last week in which the matter of a military tattoo was discussed, and at which time it was suggested as 75 per cent of the display was put on by the non-permanent militia it was considered they should be paid.

I do not wish to belittle the fine showing by the non-permanent militia units of this city at the tattoo last Summer, but I am afraid the item may be rather misleading to the citizens who are not familiar with the units taking part in the display, and do not know a non-permanent unit from a permanent unit—

Surely the following items comprised more than 25 per cent of the showing: Sailors' hornpipe, by ratings H.M.S. Exeter; musketry drill, by Royal Marines H.M.S. Exeter; field gun display by Royal Canadian Navy, war-time period of 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, by 5th Heavy Battery, R.C.A. (P.F.), P.T. display, by Esquimalt Station, P.P.C.L.I., P.P.C.L.I. Band; Royal Marine Band; handling of searchlights, by Royal Canadian Navy; necessary fatigues, putting up tentage and striking same and cleaning grounds, by permanent force.

In addition to the above, there was an ambulance, medical officer, medical orderly and driver on duty behind the scenes at each performance, supplied by the permanent force, as well as necessary drivers for staff cars and mechanical transport.

Would it not seem correct that all personnel from permanent and non-permanent units taking part in the tattoo should receive pay or remuneration to compensate them for the hours of necessary work preparing for the tattoo?

In addition to taking part in the tattoo, ratings from H.M.S. Exeter and the Royal Canadian Navy took part in a church parade which was advertised in the paper as one of the items of the Jubilee Celebrations, and also took part in the parade on the afternoon of the holiday.

H.M.S. Exeter was open to the public for inspection during her stay here, and, although the public do not think of the necessary cleaning before and after the visitors' hours, the same have to be carried out in addition to the routine work on the ship. Hundreds of people visiting a ship in the course of an afternoon can make quite a mess of the decks, etc., and much litter is left on the decks.

Would it not be fitting next year, should a ship from the Royal Navy visit here, and the crew expected to take part in the celebrations as the personnel of H.M.S. Exeter did last Summer, that the city could arrange to make it a free city to the ship's company, at least as far as transportation to and from the city and ship by street car and concessions at picture shows. These ratings, although the ship is in Canadian waters, receive Old Country rates of pay, which are extremely small. I think it would make the ship's company feel much kinder towards a city which last year must have been a headache to them, the whole time the ship was here being a round of parades and extra drills in order that they could give entertainment to a city in which they had no personal interest.

J. McVIE.

An Ex-N.C.O., C.E.F. and P.F. (Medicals), 899 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., December 4, 1937.

"BUYING VOTES"

Sir,—Pens galore will be working overtime to denounce the rather low-down last-minute boost of $40,000 in salaries and for sessional indemnities, so this must be brief in outlining another angle. It may not be generally known that certain municipalities and school boards, the members of which are known to be of the right stripe, are in the habit of approaching the Government for money grants over and above their rightful due. This is known as buying votes. Last year a certain school board approached the Government for the umpteenth time and was told "nothing doing." If it wanted more money it could retrench—fire some teachers if necessary. And that is exactly what this school board did. Eight teachers were laid off and their classes crowded into other classes to a dangerous degree in case of fire. In the case of two teachers the lay-off was a real hardship. The salaries of these two teachers was $900 a year each, or 1,800 for the two—exactly the amount that Mr. Pattullo has added to his own already generous salary of $7,200.

WALTER FOSTER.

Colquitz, B.C., December 8, 1937.

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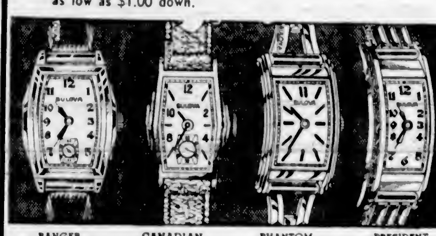

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of December 11, 1887)

The Cold Snow—There are two and a half feet of snow on the level at Donald and, with the trees, buildings, etc., loaded down with this rich covering, the views are grand. At Rogers' Pass the fall must be about four feet.

Public School Tests—The Christmas examinations of the pupils of the public schools will be held next week. The girls' department will close on Wednesday, the boys' department on Thursday, and the High School on Friday. The closing of the ward schools is set for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. It is hoped the parents and friends of the pupils will show this year that they have an interest in the progress of their children in their studies by attending in large numbers. The last two examinations were better attended than on any previous occasion, and the teachers say they have noticed a marked improvement and a deeper interest taken in their studies by those under their charge.

For San Francisco—Miss Brenda Pears, S. H. Rowe, G. D. Warren, Edward Jones, R. H. McCormack, Nicholas King, Capt. C. B. Weldon, John Ross, William Kirschbaum, L. H. Nolte and S. Nancix were passengers on the steamer Mexico for San Francisco from this port yesterday. The steamer carries a large number of passengers, both cabin and steerage, from the Sound.

MARINE, RAIL and AIR

STORM KEEPS VESSEL BACK

American Mail Liner President Jackson Docking on Monday Morning

Fighting a gale out on the Pacific, the American Mail Line Ss. President Jackson, which was to have docked here this morning inbound from Far East ports, will not reach Victoria until some time Monday morning, W. M. Allan, local agent of the company, stated last evening after receiving advices from the liner.

The Jackson is bringing in twelve passengers and considerable freight. There are no travelers for Victoria aboard, but 338 tons of miscellaneous cargo will be discharged here before the ship continues to Seattle, five days behind her schedule.

SAILING TODAY

Bound for the Philippines by way of Japan and China ports, the Canadian Pacific Ss. Empress of Russia, Captain J. F. Patrick, R.N.R., commander, will sail from Rithet Piers about 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. The liner has a small list of passengers aboard. Before returning to Victoria, the Russia will have undergone her annual overhaul at Hongkong.

FOR DRYDOCK

The freighter Levernbank, of the Andrew Weir Line, is expected at Esquimalt first thing this morning. The Levernbank will enter the Government Drydock at the naval base for cleaning, painting and minor repairs. Yarrows, Limited, will dock and do the work on the freighter.

LOADING LUMBER

The Kingsley Navigation Company's freighter Ss. Texada was an arrival at Rithet Piers yesterday to load lumber for California. The Texada was recently attached by a deputy United States marshal, while at Seattle, on behalf of a longshoreman allegedly injured when he fell on the Texada last July while the ship was discharging cargo at the Puget Sound port. Her owners posted a bond equal to the amount filed in the libel, $10,000.

IN OVERNIGHT

Coming in from Rotterdam and London by way of Panama, California and Washington, the Holland-America Line Ms. Delftdyk, Captain J. M. Stamperius, arrived alongside Rithet Piers last evening. The Delftdyk had several passengers from Vancouver aboard, including Mrs. Mildred White, Miss H. W. McCullough and Miss W. J. Heater. The combined freight and passenger vessel had 150 tons of general cargo for discharge here and was to load 125 tons before proceeding to Mainland ports.

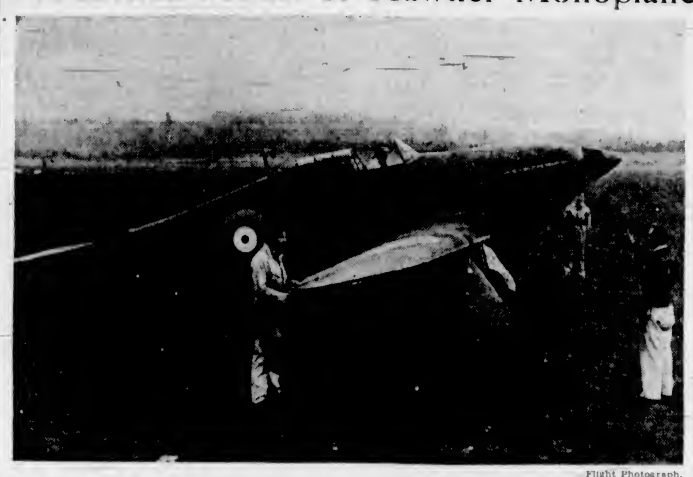
LUNCHEON GUEST

Dr. John S. Douglas, medical officer at William Head, who will leave tomorrow for Halifax, where he will take over new duties for the Canadian Government, was the guest of local steamship officials at the Union Club. Included among those attending were W. M. Allan, dean of transportation men here; James Macfarlane, Canadian Pacific; Harry Douglas, N.Y.K. Line, and Alex McDermott, Ocean Stevedoring Company.

SHIPBUILDING

American Bureau of Shipping reports a total of ninety vessels building to its classification in American yards on December 1. The gross tonnage is 292,200. This compares with 102 vessels on November 1, with a gross tonnage of 315,220. The total includes fourteen large tankers, one passenger vessel, three passenger and cargo vessels, two cargo ships and four bulk freighters for Great Lakes operation.

Production Model of Hawker Monoplane



Flight Photograph.

Large numbers of the Hawker Hurricane single-seat monoplane (Rolls-Royce Merlin 1,030 h.p. engine) have been ordered for squadrons of the Metropolitan Air Force. Its maximum speed is more than 300 miles per hour. A camouflage coat, aptly described as a mixture of "sand and spinach," makes it difficult to discern in flight or on the ground.

NEW COMPANIES NOW OPERATING

List of Incorporations for British Columbia Given in Provincial Gazette

The following new companies have been granted certificates of incorporation to carry on business in the Province, according to notices appearing in the current issue of The British Columbia Gazette:

A. B. Liquid Dispensers, Limited, New Westminster, $25,000.

Coast Investments, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Harold C. Allen Holdings, Limited, New Westminster, $100,000.

J. J. Whalen & Company, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

Strathmore, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Wormald Placers, Limited, Vancouver, $100,000.

UNDER SOCIETIES ACT

Designers and Dressmakers' Guild of Vancouver, Vancouver

Savary Island Property Owners' Association, Savary Island.

Canadian Mutual Aid Association, Vancouver.

The Burgess Battery Company was registered as an extra-Provincial company with offices at Vancouver.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast: southeast, strong, 28.91; 53, rough.
LENNARD ISLAND — Rain: showers, southeast, strong, 29.02, heavy swell.
PACHENA — Rain, southeast, strong, 29.01; 52, rough.
CARMANAH—Cloudy; east, fresh, 29.13; choppy.
CAPE BEALE—Rain, southeast, strong, 29.10, smooth

SHIPPING CALENDAR

TO ARRIVE

PRESIDENT JACKSON — Philippines, China and Japan, December 11.
DELFTDYK — Rotterdam and London, December 8.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, December 14.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN — Philippines, China, Japan and Hawaii, December 14.
PACIFIC GROVE—United Kingdom, December 14.
TYNDAREUS—China and Japan, December 16.
AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, December 17.
CORRIENTES—United Kingdom, December 19.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — Philippines, China and Japan, December 22.
LOCHOOIL—United Kingdom, December 24.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—Philippines, China and Japan, December 27.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—United Kingdom, December 28.
HIKAWA MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, December 29.

TO DEPART

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Japan, China and Philippines, December 11.
PRESIDENT JACKSON — Japan, China and Philippines, December 18.
AORANGI—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, December 22.
HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan, December 24.
EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, December 25.

WHEN MAILS CLOSE

ATLIN AND YUKON

1 p.m., December 14, 28 and January 11, via Vancouver; 4 p.m., December 17 and 21, via Seattle

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

4 p.m., December 22, Aorangi.

BRITISH MAILS

1.10 p.m., December 8, Duchess of Bedford; 1.10 p.m., December 7, Athenia; 4 p.m., December 9, Queen Mary, via New York; 1.10 p.m., December 10, Duchess of Richmond; 4 p.m., December 10, Europa, via New York; 1.10 p.m., December 11, Duchess of Atholl; 1.10 p.m., December 12, Ascania.

CHINA AND JAPAN

4 p.m., December 11, Empress of Russia; 4 p.m., December 18, President Jackson; 4 p.m., December 25, Empress of Japan; 4 p.m., January 1, President Jefferson.

HONOLULU

11.15 p.m., December 8, 11, 15, 18, 20, 29, January 1, 5, 8, 11, 12; 4 p.m., December 22, Aorangi; 4 p.m., December 25, Empress of Japan.

JAMAICA

1.10 p.m., December 10 and 12.

WEST INDIES

1.10 p.m., December 10

Note—Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mails may be mailed three days later than the dates indicated, two days later for Canadian steamers.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Marguerite or Ss. Princess Kathleen will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 1.55 p.m.; S.S. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 3.10 p.m. daily; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive at Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.
VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Marguerite or Ss. Princess Kathleen will leave Victoria for Seattle at 4.30 p.m. daily; Ss. Princess Marguerite or Ss. Princess Kathleen will arrive at Victoria from Seattle at 1.15 p.m. daily.
VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois leaves Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois arrives Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.25 a.m.
SALTSPRING ISLAND — Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, at 9.20 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Pulford Harbor daily, except Wednesday, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.
BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY — Ms. Cascade leaves Brentwood at 9.40, and 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2, 4 and 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade leaves Mill Bay at 9.30, 10.20 and 11.30 a.m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.20, 4.20 and 5.30 p.m.
WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria at 11 p.m. on 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.
SIDNEY - ANACORTES — Ss. Rosario leaves Sidney daily for Anacortes at 2.00 p.m. Ss. Rosario arrives Sidney daily from Anacortes at 1.15 p.m.
NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 7.45 a.m. and 2.20 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Saturday only at 7.45 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo on Saturday only at 1.15 p.m. and 8 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 5.45 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will arrive at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1.15 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

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GIANT PLANES CONTEMPLATED

Pan-American Airways Asking Bids for Group of 100-Passenger Ships

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Pan-American Airways today called for bids for construction of a number of giant 100-passenger, high-speed planes for high altitude flying. The cruiser speed asked would place London within fourteen or fifteen hours of New York City.

The desired craft would fly at a speed of 274 miles an hour at an altitude of 20,000 feet. The company called for bids in groups of three, six and twelve, indicating it desired a sizable fleet.

PROPOSE MAKING STRONG PROTEST

HALIFAX, Dec. 10 (AP).—The Halifax Board of Trade will forward a "strong protest" to the Dominion Government against possibilities of the routing of cargoes away from Canadian Maritime ports, it was decided at a meeting today.

Preferential protection now enjoyed by Canadian ports "would have to be continued at all costs," members said. They expressed fear that New York would be enabled to regain its position as a shipping centre for Canadian grain.

What Today Means

"SAGITTARIUS"

If December 11 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10 45 a.m. to 12 45 p.m.; from 2 45 to 4 45 p.m. and from 8 45 to 10 45 p.m. The danger periods are from 8 45 to 10 45 a.m. from 4 45 to 6 45 p.m. and from 10 45 p.m. until midnight.

Be careful how freely you give information this day, especially concerning anyone else's private affairs, for it might be misused. Clacking tongues may be instrumental in spreading malicious gossip without evil intent. In social gatherings, it might be good judgment while conversing not to deal too freely in generalities involving criticism of personal peculiarities. Prejudice will cause many very short-sighted policies to be pursued, and will be the primary reason for making many enemies. It will be wise not to be wedded to any opinion this day because arguments may be advanced that might change your views if you listen to them with an open mind. You are apt to have a gratifying reminder that someone holds you very near and dear to her heart. Married and engaged couples, and those who are in love, should make a virtue of any necessity this day so as to avoid an argument.

If a woman and December 11 is your birthday, you may have the happy faculty of expressing many beautiful thoughts. You are probably very resourceful, and ought to have many worth while accomplishments. In social gatherings you are likely to be the centre of attraction. Through an unselfish friendship you may be helped along the road to success. Vanity is the one thing that can retard your progress. As a poet author actress, interior decorator or saleslady you ought to become quite prosperous. You will, in all likelihood, live an ideal married life, and eventually solve any financial problems you may have.

The child born on December 11 should develop a strong will power as it enters its teens. Through a charming personality it ought to win many friends.

If a man and December 11 is your natal day, you probably possess either a decidedly mechanical turn of mind or are artistically inclined. As a landscape architect, painter, writer, actor, lawyer politician, salesman, inventor, chemist or physician you may make a remarkably fine reputation.

DINNER DATE DECIDED ON

Thermopylae Club Will Hold Annual Affair During Holiday Week

The Thermopylae Club will hold its annual Christmas dinner at Speedie's Cafe on the evening of December 29, it was decided at the monthly dog-watch gathering of the local shiplovers' society.

In making this known, Supercargo Philipsen voiced the hope that the crew would be in good voice for the occasion, as he wants the chanties sung in true nautical style. He also cautioned Cook Kemp, in whose hands the arrangements for the dinner were placed, that if the rations didn't satisfy the crew, it might mean his finish in the galley.

CHANGE OF OFFICERS

Even so, the cook may lose the galley job anyway, for those attending the gathering of the forty-eighth dog-watch agreed that a change of officers would be made for each voyage when the present one is concluded. At the end of May next, when the ship will drop anchor, officers will be named to take her out again in the Fall.

Several matters of business were transacted, and a communication from Miss Becker, enclosing a picture of the old Cease Lake steamer Lady of the Lake, was read and created quite a lot of interest, after which a number of stories were related by Captain McDonald, Cook Kemp, Shipmates Goring and White.

ORIGIN OF HYMN

Captain McDonald's yarn told about the origin of the hymn, "I Will Stand By Till the Morning." Incidents that happened to a Captain Dutton, whose home was on the Isle of Wight, during his voyages at sea, were related by Cook Kemp.

Shipmate Goring's tale had to do with the longest passage made by a sailing vessel, the Denby Castle, taking 407 days from Liverpool to the west coast of South Africa, and Shipmate White told of an experience he had in 1917 while he had leave from service in the Great War and was on his way to visit his family in Canada.

Tides in Victoria

DECEMBER

Time of tides (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1937.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht Ft	Time H.M.	Ht Ft	Time H.M.	Ht Ft	Time H.M.	Ht Ft
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3	7 16	8.4	8 25	8.3	12 44	9.2	21 35	1.5
4	7 49	8.5	9 10	8.4	13 07	9.1	22 10	1.5
5	8 13	8.5	10 03	8.4	13 26	8.8	22 44	1.7
6	8 26	8.5	11 12	8.2	13 43	8.5	23 17	2.1
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13	.....		10 04	9.2	18 10	3.2	.....	
14	.....		10 30	9.6	18 49	2.2	.....	
15	.....		11 06	10.0	19 30	1.3	.....	
16	.....		11 44	10.2	20 11	0.7	.....	
17	5 55	8.3	6 55	8.2	12 24	10.2	20 54	0.3
18	5 59	8.5	7 18	8.3	13 05	10.1	21 35	0.3
19	6 25	8.7	9 28	8.2	13 50	9.6	22 19	0.7
20	6 55	8.8	10 38	7.8	14 36	8.9	23 02	1.3
21	7 25	8.8	11 38	7.4	15 26	8.1	23 44	2.2
22	7 55	8.9	13 19	6.8	16 21	7.2	.....	
23	8 26	3.3	8 26	9.1	14 46	6.0	18 19	6.3
24	1 04	4.3	8 50	9.0	16 04	5.2	21 36	5.8
25	1 26	5.4	9 15	9.0	17 02	4.3	.....	
26	.....		9 35	9.2	17 47	3.7	.....	
27	.....		9 59	9.2	18 20	3.1	.....	
28	.....		10 25	9.2	19 05	2.6	.....	
29	.....		10 51	9.3	19 38	2.2	.....	
30	.....		11 20	9.3	20 10	1.8	.....	
31	6 41	8.7	7 46	8.6	11 52	9.3	20 40	1.7

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the new Esquimalt Drydock, add 30 feet to the height of water as shown above

TESTED HUGE RAIL ENGINE

Southern Pacific Streamliner Will Run Between Chicago And San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10. — A 5,400-horsepower unit, said to be the most powerful streamlined locomotive in the world, completed its first test run from Chicago at Oakland Pier yesterday on the Overland Limited, preparatory to entering regular transcontinental service early in January on the new and 50 per cent larger streamliner City of San Francisco, which will replace the present train of that name.

Consisting of three articulated power cars, each carrying twin 900-horsepower Diesel-electric units, the huge locomotive is 208 feet in length. It is over twice as powerful as the 2,400-horsepower locomotive on the present streamliner, Southern Pacific officials stated.

Pullmans and coaches for the new train, which will have a total of seventeen cars, as compared to eleven in the present train, are now being rushed to completion, it was stated. The new streamliner will have accommodations for 168 Pullman and fifty-four coach passengers, or a total of 222, as compared to the 170-passenger capacity of the present train.

It will be operated on the San Francisco-Chicago run jointly by Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Chicago & Northwestern railroads on the present fast schedule of thirty-nine and three quarter hours, or one day and two nights.

NO ADVANCE IN FREIGHT RATES

Inter-State Commerce Commission Refuses Petition For Increase

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10 (AP).—The Interstate Commerce Commission overruled today a petition by the nation's railroads for an immediate 15 per cent increase in freight rates.

The action was announced by Commissioner Clyde B. Aitchison, at the outset of this afternoon's hearing on the carriers' request for a permanent rate boost in that amount.

The announcement of the decision came shortly after President Roosevelt said today the commission should seek to preserve the solvency of the nation's railroads with a view to retaining them under private management and private ownership.

Discussing the financial situation of the carriers at a press conference, the President declared the quicker a final determination was reached on the roads' application for higher freight rates the better it would be all around.

He stated he wanted to avoid Government ownership, but at the same time, he reminded railroad receiverships could not continue without some steps being taken to adjust their financial setup.

STATE SOCIALISM

Asked if a Government subsidy was planned, he said that question was working toward straight state Socialism and once that was started, the same probably would be done with oil and other industries.

Mr. Roosevelt declared the administration had no definite plan to help the railroads, adding the Interstate Commerce Commission was the only Federal agency authorized to deal with the problem.

He shook his head when asked if the post of Federal co-ordinator of railroads was to be revived.

The President indicated the roads must readjust over-capitalizations and abandon more trackage in areas that might be served by only one railroad and where trucks and buses could do the job.

DISAPPOINTED

Disappointed railroad leaders expressed belief the commission's refusal to grant the temporary rate request might mean a delay in obtaining financial relief until next April 1. There was no explanation of the commission's action.

"The commission has directed me to announce," Aitchison said, "the petition of the railroads, filed yesterday afternoon to make effective immediately the 15 per cent increase in freight rates, is overruled."

VANCOUVER SHIPPING

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (AP). — The last of three full cargoes of South African corn was due to arrive here tomorrow on the British freighter Ss. King James for Buckerfields, Limited.

Officials of the large Vancouver importing firm said they had planned on another cargo or two, but that the South African Government had put an embargo on this grain, as a precaution against a threatened famine there in 1938.

The importers said, however, that there is sufficient quantities of this corn on hand, or available from other sources, to assure satisfactory supplies for all of Western Canada, which is served through Vancouver.

FUNERAL NOTICE!

Members of Vancouver and Quadra Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 2 G.R.B.C., are requested to assemble at the Masonic Temple, Victoria, at 2 P.M. on Monday, December 13th next, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late M.W. Bro. Dr. E. B. Paul, P.G.M., which will be held under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia.

The body of the late Grand Master will remain at rest in the Masonic Temple from High Noon to 2 P.M.

Members of local lodges and sojourning brethren in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the Worshipful Master
FRANCIS P. PATT,
Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite are requested to assemble at the Masonic Temple, Victoria, B.C., at 2 p.m. on Monday, December 13, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late Brother Bor. Pr. E. B. Paul, 18, which will be held under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia.

WALTER M. WALKER,
Registrar.

Low Rail Fares for Christmas and New Year's

CHRISTMAS WEEK-END — GOOD GOING DECEMBER 23, TO 2 P.M. DECEMBER 26. RETURN UNTIL DECEMBER 27

FARE AND ONE-QUARTER FOR ROUND TRIP — MINIMUM FARE 25c

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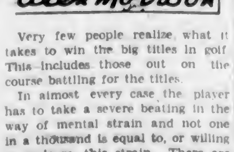
MARTY BARRY IS NEARING LEADER

By The Canadian Press

Marty Barry, of Detroit, gained a second-place tie with Harvey Jackson, of Toronto, among the National Hockey League's scoring leaders Tuesday night, even though Barry was given twenty minutes in misconduct penalties at Montreal. He figured in both the Red Wings' goals in the 5-2 loss to Maroons to raise his point total to thirteen, three behind Gordon Drillon, of Toronto. Other members of the Big Seven remained unchanged, with Nels Stewart and Sweeney Schriner, of Americans; Rod Lorrain, George Mantha and Johnny Gagnon, of Canadiens, and Paul Thompson, of Chicago, all tied for sixth place.

The leaders:

	G	A	P
Drillon, Toronto	8	8	16
Jackson, Toronto	7	6	13
Barry, Detroit	6	7	13
Horner, Toronto	2	10	12
Apps, Toronto	3	8	11
Stewart, Americans	7	3	10
Schriner, Americans	7	3	10
Lorrain, Canadiens	5	5	10
Mantha, Canadiens	5	5	10
Gagnon, Canadiens	3	7	10
Thompson, Chicago	3	7	10



Very few people realize what it takes to win the big titles in golf. This includes those out on the course battling for the titles.

In almost every case the player has to take a severe beating in the way of mental strain and not one in a thousand is equal to, or willing to undergo, this strain. There are several pros playing regularly in the big tournaments who figure to win entirely by their physical performances. They come very close to winning at times, but invariably lose to a player whose mental performance is superior.

A former champion who knows whereof he speaks recently told me that most of the pros in the field today were unwilling to take the beating connected with victory. And it is somewhat of a beating to miss a four or five-foot putt to lose the match when your opponent's ball comes from the depth of some bunker or jungle to a spot on the green from which he holes an impossible putt. It makes his luck seem unbeatable, but that is just the point where you have to be able to take it and go on to bigger and better efforts.

You can have as many good breaks on the course as the next player.

NET OFFICIALS HOLD MEETING

British Moguls Discuss Means of Regaining Tennis Trophies

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—The British Lawn Tennis Association devoted its annual session today to the discussion of ways and means of regaining the Davis and Wightman Cups from the United States and control of players.

They decided "to keep amateurs from fattening on the game" by empowering the council to inspect the tournament accounts of any member club, and to outline a training system for young players of international potentialities.

"We are very much alive to the urgent need of leaving no stone unturned to get back these two great international trophies," said Sir Samuel Hoare, who was re-elected president.

The annual report showed that England's net profit from the Davis Cup challenge round with the United States was £1,470 ($7,350).

Destroyers Will Visit San Diego Early in Spring

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 10 (AP). — San Diego will be port of call next Spring of four Canadian destroyers, according to word received today. The vessels are the Skeena, Saguenay, Fraser and St. Laurent, due here from April 8 to 11, with the Saguenay and St. Laurent returning April 29 to remain until May 2.

Announcements

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THEATRE GROUP PRODUCES PLAY

"Nothing But the Truth" Is Given at Shrine Auditorium Here

Victoria Little Theatre Association players under the direction of H. J. S. Reynolds, presented a pre-holiday comedy at the Shrine Temple auditorium here last night, James Montgomery's "Nothing But the Truth."

The play was obviously penned in the days of gold and tinsel, when brokers wore satin waistcoats and sold the public quicksilver in New Mexico and gold mines in the Nevadas. It had an atmosphere of the post-war periods that ended in 1929 with a crash that was echoed in almost every part of the world.

IN A BROKER'S OFFICE

The play opened on a broker's office setting with the usual trimmings — good-looking salesman, a telephone, a board and a generous assortment of blank cheques. Business wasn't so good and the "old man," Mr. Broker Ralston (Mr. Reynolds) was trying to unload stock. He partly succeeded and then the theme of the thing entered. Robert Bennett (D. McLennan) had $10,000 to invest for Ralston's daughter to raise funds for a church charity. He made a bet he could tell the truth for twenty-four hours. From that time many interesting and humorous situations occurred. The last two acts relied on Bennett's answers to support the play.

WELL-BALANCED CAST

The cast was well balanced and the individual players had every opportunity to be themselves. Mr. Reynolds had the only character part, with the possible exception of the Jackson girls, Mable and Sable (Jean and Mary Hickman). They were the inflammable types. Others in the cast were Harold Gelling, as Dick Donnelly; John McLaren, as Clarence Van Dusen; Alec McGown, as Bishop Doran; Gloria Wilson, as Gwendolyn Ralston; Mrs. C. B. Barlow, as Mrs. Ralston; Mrs. R. Lindgren, as Ethel Clark, and Athea Talbot, as Martha.

Before the opening and at intermissions, Victoria Little Theatre Orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Warn, provided musical numbers. The stage manager was Les Lamb and his assistant was Leo Marston. Miss Audrey Wood had charge of properties. W. Earle was assistant producer.

HOYLE-BROWN DEFEATS CAFE

Goldsmith's Basket Gives Shandley's Cagers Close Victory, 29-28

Finding the basket with a great one-handed shot seconds before the final whistle, Ollie Goldsmith placed Hoyle-Brown into a tie for top position in the men's senior "B" division in the Victoria and District Basketball League, last night, at the High School gymnasium, by nosing out Liberty Cafe, 29-28 after a thrilling exhibition. The win moves Frank Shandley's boys into a deadlock with the cafemen, both teams with ten points to their credit, made up of five victories and two reverses. In the opening game in the intermediate "A" section, Kingham-Gillespie trimmed Canadian Scottish, 29-18.

Close checking and few baskets featured the opening half of the "B" battle, with Liberty Cafe leaving the court at the interval leading, 12-11. Field goals came fast in the final twenty minutes, and about a minute from time S. Gicas put Liberty Cafe out in front by a single point, but Goldsmith fired home the deciding points a few seconds later to decide the issue.

Doubling the score on their opponents in the last period, Kingham-Gillespie coasted to victory over Canadian Scottish in the opener. The Scottish held the winners to a 13-10 advantage in the first canto, but erratic shooting by them proved to be their downfall in the final session.

Bob Macmurchie refereed and teams follow:

Kingham-Gillespie — Price (12), McKeachie, Smart (2), Gent, Naysmith (2), Miller, Walker (8), Berry (3) and Whitfield (2). Total, 29.

Canadian Scottish — Whyte (4), Myirea (2), Friker, McCall (2), Dale, Purdy, Hornby, Bray (8) and Lovell (2). Total, 18.

Liberty Cafe—Wallis (2), Turner, Sharpe (6), Gicas (11), Noakes (3), Wight (2), Barbour (2) and Smith (2). Total, 28.

Hoyle-Brown — McKeachie (4), Caddell (3), Preston, Coller (4), Campbell (2), Goldsmith (5), Levy (1), McLean (6) and S. McLean (4). Total, 29.

MAROONS DEFEAT ROAD QUINTETTE

Defeating West Road women by a 23-15 score, Bob Whyte's Maroons won the first half championship in the Saanich and Suburban League at the Lake Hill gymnasium. The teams fought on even terms most of the game, but the Maroons made the best of their opportunities and held the advantage at the final whistle. The winners led at the interval, 13-8.

Harding refereed and teams follow:

West Road—J. Thomas (3), K. Hoare (5), N. Hoare (4), G. Jones, R. Handy (3) and E. Handy. Total 15.

Maroons—G. Stewart, Z. Richards, E. Creed (7), M. Carlow (8), F. Nelson, S. Smith and V. Holt (8). Total, 23.

MAYOR PRAISES ELECTION WORK

Pays Tribute to Returning Officer — Appreciates Congratulations

In a statement issued to the press yesterday, Mayor Andrew McGavin paid tribute to M. Frank Hunter, returning officer, and his assistants for the efficient progressive count system used at the civic elections. He also expressed gratification that all Municipal Elections Act regulations were rigidly observed both within and without the polling station.

Mayor McGavin also stated:

"Naturally, I am delighted with the handsome majority given me, which I regard as a vote of confidence in the policies I have advocated, and also as a strong expression of faith in my ability to guide destinies of the City of Victoria for another year.

"It is a great help to know that citizens are satisfied with my work, and I trust that all my future actions will merit the confidence extended to me.

TENDERS FELICITATIONS

"I extend my congratulations to Aldermen Okell, Williams and Dewar and also to the two newcomers to the City Council, Aldermen-Elect Burges J. Gadsden and W. H. Davies. I feel sure members of the 1938 council will all pull together and give their best to the city.

"I regret the loss of the services of Alderman T. W. Hawkins, who undoubtedly did a great deal of good work during the past year.

"I appreciate very much the congratulations and expressions of good will which have poured into my office this morning, and hope I will measure up to all expectations.

"I look forward to the coming year with every confidence, happy in the knowledge that the citizens are solidly behind myself and the members of the City Council," His Worship concluded.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Dr. K. Lamb Gives Talk On History

Bancroft's "History of British Columbia" was the subject of an interesting address given by Dr. Kaye Lamb, provincial librarian and archivist, to members of the Reading Group at the Y.W.C.A. yesterday afternoon. This work, published fifty years ago, remains as the foremost work of its kind and is a valuable asset to all who are concerned with the history of this province, Dr. Lamb pointed out.

STARTED LIBRARY

As an introduction to his remarks about the work itself, Dr. Lamb gave a brief account of the author, Herbert Howe Bancroft, who was born in 1832 in Ohio, went to San Francisco in 1852, where he worked and later established his own firm of publishers, booksellers and printer, Bancroft & Company. Becoming interested in the new country to which he had come, Bancroft began to collect data about California and the West Coast and in 1859 started the Bancroft Library. Book collecting took him to Europe in 1866 and by 1881 enough books had been collected to necessitate a special building in which to house them. This building survived the fire and earthquake of San Francisco and remains as a valuable collection of records. It is now owned by the University of California.

VALUABLE WORK

Under the direction of Bancroft, the historian, a group of assistants worked strenuously in assembling material which ultimately became the thirty-nine volumes of Bancroft's history, produced in sixteen years. Bancroft himself was responsible for only a small proportion of the history, although, Dr. Lamb said, the volumes dealing with British Columbia were largely his own work. He came to Victoria in 1878 and much of the most valuable information contained in the record was obtained from the late Roderick Finlayson, A. C. Anderson and John Tod. It was always a matter of great regret to historians that Bancroft had not arrived in time to meet Sir James Douglas, from whom, more than any other individual of that time, information might have been collected. Dr. Lamb spoke of the particularly fine index to the history.

Mrs. Alan Campbell introduced the speaker and on behalf of the audience thanked Dr. Lamb for his enlightening address.

St. Joseph's Hospital Is Given $1,000

A gift of $1,000 from the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital to Sister Superior, to be used for purchasing needs of the hospital, was voted at the monthly meeting of the auxiliary held yesterday afternoon in the sewing-room of the hospital. Mrs. Frank Sehl, president, was in the chair.

Mrs. L. Jones, sewing convener, reported 331 articles completed during the month and 574 sponges. Rev. Sister Mary Mark, Mother Provincial, and Sister Mary Alfreda, superintendent of the hospital, attended, and Mother Provincial, on behalf of herself and Sister Mary Alfreda, thanked the friends who had worked so faithfully during her absence, and said that the help of the auxiliary could not be estimated, as before it was organized the sisters did all the sewing, now being done by the auxiliary, in their little leisure time.

A pleasant surprise, in the form of a Christmas tea, was arranged for the members by the sisters following the meeting. Tea was served at an attractively appointed table with Christmas motif and dainties. The sewing-room had been gaily decorated for Christmas with evergreens, holly and bells, and the window sills were banked with beautiful chrysanthemums. Mrs. Sehl wished all the members and sisters a happy Christmas and expressed best wishes for the New Year. The next meeting will be held on January 14.

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The Canadian Performing Right Society, Limited, announces that, in order to encourage and stimulate Canadian original work, it has decided to offer a Scholarship for tuition in Musical Compoaition.

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Closing date, March 1st, 1938. Application forms should be obtained from the Society's office. The judges' award will be announced April 15th, 1938. The following will act on the Selecting Board:

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MR. LEO SMITH, MUS.B., F.R.M.C.M., Member of the Faculty of Music, University of Toronto.

CAPT. J. J. GAGNIER, MUS.DOC., Montreal.

MR. GODFREY HEWITT, F.R.C.O., Organist of Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa.

MR. H. T. JAMIESON, President of the Society.

Wives of Members Hostesses at Dinner Party

—Photograph by Associated Screen News

A View of the Guests at the Dinner Party Given on Thursday Evening in the Princess Louise Private Dining-Room at the Empress Hotel, the Group Including the Hostesses, Who Were the Wives of the Members of the Legislature, With Their Guests, Numbered Among Whom Were Wives of the Cabinet Ministers and Representatives of the Press.

Clubs and Societies

T.V.A. Auxiliary

A largely-attended meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association was held on Thursday afternoon in the V.T.A clubroom, with the president, Mrs. D. W. Burnett, in the chair. Reports of the various committees were given, and the delegate to the British Columbia Women's Provincial Command, Mrs. Burnett, gave a resume of all the proceedings of the meeting held in Vancouver on November 25. A beautiful afghan from Mrs. Hall, who is not a member of the auxiliary, and a large embroidered centrepiece from Mrs. Booth, past president of the T.V.A., will be used to raise funds for the auxiliary. Plans were made for the Christmas hampers, adopted children in the Solarium and the annual banquet, which will be held in the Hudson's Bay dining-room on January 7. Final plans were made for the country fair last night, and again this evening, under the auspices of the Tuberculous Veterans Post No. 18, and at which the auxiliary has the home-cooking stall, under the convenership of Mesdames Ashworth and Standerwick, and the miscellaneous stall of fancywork and novelties, under the direction of Mesdames Gibson and Duncan. The auxiliary issues an invitation to the public who are interested in the tuberculous veterans to patronize this fair and help swell their funds.

St. Michael's W.A.

The annual meeting of St. Michael's W.A. was held in the Parish Hall, with the president, Miss Oldfield, in the chair. In her opening address the president thanked all the officers for their loyalty and co-operation. Encouraging reports were also read by the secretary, treasurer, Dorcas secretary and the juniors of Royal Oak and Prospect Lake. All dues have been paid in full, with a small balance over. There was a good attendance of members and visitors present to partake in the pleasing event of making the president a life member. Mrs. Niven, diocesan president, and Lady Lake, past president, attended, and Mrs. Niven made the presentation and Mrs. Mead-Robins pinned the badge on the new life member. Rev. Canon Wickens addressed the gathering and voiced the feeling of all present with regard to the many high qualities and noble services of Miss Oldfield. A lovely spray of pink carnations and violets was presented to Miss Oldfield; a bunch of violets to Mrs. Sykes, who is retiring from the office of Dorcas secretary, and a corsage bouquet to Mrs. Niven, was presented by Mrs. Mead-Robins. The hall had been decorated for the occasion by Mrs. Young, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Peet and Miss McKinnon, with roses and evergreens. Tea was served by the juniors.

Officers Elected

The annual meeting of Christ Church Cathedral business women's branch of the W.A. was held on Thursday, at the home of Mrs. H. V. Mills. The branch welcomed Mrs. J. Chrow as guest of honor, and also Mrs. P. J. Brimer, who gave an inspiring address on the general synod and annual W.A. meetings recently held in Halifax. The president in her address thanked all members for their splendid co-operation during the year, and officers' reports showed a successful year in all branches of work, with obligations met in full. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. C. W. Brooks; vice-president, Mrs. H. V. Mills; recording secretary, Miss M. Woodcock; corresponding secretary, Miss A. Chrow; treasurer, Miss D. Brown; educational secretary, Miss L. Peacey; thankoffering and extra cents secretary, Miss M. Nicholson; Living Message secretary, Miss K. Maclure; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. W. Leal; prayer partner secretary, Mrs. J. Stillwell; social service secretary, Mrs. C. Godson; convener of bazaar committee, Miss P. Fatt. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess and several members of the branch.

St. Paul's W.M.S.

The W.M.S. of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church met in the church hall yesterday afternoon, with the president in the chair. After the opening exercises, Rev. John McNab, B.A., stated supply at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, gave an inspiring address on the life and work of Miss Caroline McDonald, noted missionary in Japan. She was a brilliant student, but gave herself to work among the needy women and girls most successfully for many years, later taking up evangelistic work among the prisoners both in and out of the prisons. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. James Dickson; vice-president, Mrs. Cotsford; secretary, Mrs. J. C. Scott; treasurer, Mrs. Templeton; mission band secretary, Mrs. Humphries; home helpers secretary, Miss Jamieson; Glad Tidings secretary, Mrs. Borrowman; supply secretary, Mrs. M. G. Scott; library secretary, Miss James Sloan; literature secretary, Mrs. James Hyde; welcome and welfare secretary, Mrs. William Sloan, Jr.; press secretary, Mrs. Thomson.

Pioneer Club

The Pioneer Club of the W.B.A. held its regular meeting recently at the home of Mrs. Mabel Burnett, 1429 Richardson Street, with Mrs. J. Winter, president, in the chair. The secretary reported a successful year. Sick members had been visited and flowers sent; also a donation sent to the V.O.N for attendance on a sick member. Christmas cards and gifts were voted to be sent to out-of-town and shut-in members. Election of officers took place, resulting in Mrs. J. Winter being re-elected president; Mrs. H. Dresser, re-elected vice-president; Mrs. Mabel Burnett, re-elected secretary; Mrs. S. McNeill, treasurer; Mrs. H. Thompsett, press correspondent, and Mrs. H. Watson, auditor. Refreshments were served by the hostess, who was given a hearty vote of thanks. The next meeting will be held on January 11 at the home of Mrs. Dresser, 1235 Montrose Avenue.

Knox Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Church held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. Nesbitt, 977 Hampshire Road, on Wednesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. Foubister, took charge of the meeting and cordially welcomed several visitors. Reports were read by the secretary and the treasurer, and plans discussed regarding a concert to be held in January. A hearty invitation was extended to all the members to visit the Orphenage on Friday, December 17, when the C.G.I.T. girls will entertain the children. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed, refreshments being served by Mrs. Nesbitt, to whom a hearty vote of thanks was tendered for her hospitality. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Foubister, 1270 Denman Street.

Conservative Club

The Women's Conservative Association held its monthly business meeting on Thursday evening at headquarters, Campbell Building, with Mrs. S. R. Bowden, president, in the chair. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and adopted. New standing committees for the ensuing year were formed and the following were appointed: Social, Mrs. Smith (convener), Mesdames Chamberlain, Edgar and Brown; house, Mrs. Lismore; current events, Mrs. Witty; education, Mrs. Adam; music, Mrs. R. D. Harvey; local council, Mrs. Wait, and Mrs. Roberts; welfare, Mrs. Paget; press, Miss White. An interesting talk on current events was given by Mrs. Witty. The next business meeting will take place on Thursday, January 13, in the Campbell Building.

St. Alban's Bazaar

A successful bazaar was held recently under the auspices of St. Alban's Ladies' Society. Mrs. David Swan opened the affair and was presented with a lovely bouquet of flowers by Mrs. E. M. Trickett. Among the attractive stalls were home cooking and fancywork. Afternoon tea was served by Mrs. Berry, Mrs. T. Bridges and Mrs. A. Knowles. The entertainment in the evening took the form of a card party. The next meeting will take place on Tuesday when the election of officers will be held.

Scottish Society

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society met at the home of Mrs. Murray recently, the president, Mrs. Alexander, in the chair. A successful year's work was reviewed. It was announced that Mrs. R. Gray had won the woolen dog, and E. Reston, the table lamp. After the meeting, Mrs. Murray served refreshments, assisted by Mrs. McIntyre. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Reston.

Seamen's Institute

At a recent meeting of the Connaught Seamen's Institute, the members granted the use of the hall for one night to the Sea Scouts for a party. Appreciation was expressed at the meeting to Mrs. R. W. McMurray, Mrs. Albert Griffiths and Mrs. J. D. Macdonald for their splendid work in making the anniversary bridge tea such a success.

Catholic League Party

The second of a series of monthly card parties will be held by Victoria Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League on Wednesday, December 15, at 8.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Five hundred will be played.

First United W.M.S.

The annual meeting of the W.M.S. of the First United Church will be held on Monday at 2.45 o'clock. Reports will be received and the officers for 1938 will be installed.

Junior Catholic League

The Junior Catholic Women's League will hold its monthly meeting Monday evening at the Bishop's Palace at 8 o'clock.

FORESTERS' COURT

Members of Court Far West Cariboo, Independent Order Foresters No. 743, are requested to be at court Monday at 8 o'clock as nominations of officers for 1938 will take place.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The slogan "Pay as You Go" has almost been replaced by that of "Stall as You Go"

LINER WRECKED AND PASSENGERS LANDED

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Several hours prior to the Hongkong reports, a message from the President Hoover here said neither the ship nor those aboard were in immediate danger.

Positions of the rescue ships were not known here. Naval officials in Manila were uncertain when the destroyers would reach the scene. The Empress of Asia was reported due there in the early hours of Saturday morning, Pacific Coast time.

Creator of "John" Tells About Book

A tea party of unusual interest was held in the Duke of Kent dining-room of the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon in the form of a "Book Tea," at which Mrs. Irene Baird, Victoria, author of the popular novel, "John," told of how "John" came to be.

There were over eighty guests at the affair, the majority of whom had read the book and were keenly interested in it and its author. Mrs. Baird was introduced by Mrs. T. A. Rickard, who spoke a few gracious words in "presenting" the author, who, Mrs. Rickard said, had already been introduced through the medium of "John."

Mrs. Baird confined her remarks to the characters in the book rather than to any dissertation upon its construction. She informed her audience that the locale was not any one place in particular, rather was it a composite picture depicting scenes typical of Vancouver Island. The book was pre-eminently a study of character, Mrs. Baird explained; the central figure, John, was not drawn from life, but was entirely "a creature of fiction," but to his "biographer" had become almost a reality. A vote of thanks to the speaker was expressed by Mrs. Colin Cummins, which was seconded by Mrs. E. Cuppage.

Tea was served from a charmingly-arranged table, which had in a place of honor an appropriate and exceedingly cleverly designed confection, the work of the Empress Hotel chef. At first glance, the visitors perceived a large vellum bound copy of "John" placed on a book rest on the table, and ornamented with a spray of roses and a garland and bow of blue ribbon. In reality this was an ingeniously-iced cake, which was later presented to Mrs. Baird. Mrs. J. K. Hodges, Mrs. W. L. Walsh and Mrs. E. Cuppage poured tea and coffee.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (C.P.) — The British Columbia Court of Appeal today reversed a Supreme Court decision of Mr. Justice Denis Murphy granting forty loggers claims totaling $6,800 against the Moore Timber Company and the Gulf Logging Company, Ltd., and ordered a new trial.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

(Mr. Culbertson is conducting, through this column, a national examination of bridge players. Rate yourself by subtracting from 100 the points for each wrong answer.)

Yesterday's question was:

Question 39. You are West, declarer at a four spade contract. Opponents made no bid. Your hand and dummy are as follows:

WEST	EAST (dummy)
♠ A K J 10 8	♠ Q 7 3
♥ 5	♥ K 9 8 6 4 2
♦ A 10 7 4	♦ 6
♣ 10 8 3	♣ A 7 4

North opens the diamond king. What are your first two plays, as declarer?

Answer. You should win with the diamond ace and lead your singleton heart. It would be futile to return a diamond immediately, with the thought of cross-ruffing. You would land in dummy at the second trick, with no comfortable exit. You then would have to lead a heart from the king. The opponents would win, and surely shift to trumps, thus destroying dummy's ruffing power. Your outstanding hope is that the heart ace is in front of the king and that you can establish the king for a discard, in case the opponents shift to trumps, as they should. (For failure to lead the singleton heart at the second trick, take a two point demerit.)

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question 40. You are South and vulnerable, opponents are not vulnerable.

West, your left-hand opponent, deals, and the bidding proceeds:

West	North	East	South
1 ♥	Pass	Pass	?

You hold:

♠ A K J 9 8 5 ♥ 2 ♦ A 10 8 3 ♣ 6 4

What call do you make?

TODAY'S HAND

North, dealer
Neither side vulnerable

NORTH
♠ A J 10
♥ Q 9 7
♦ Q 9
♣ A Q J 6 4

WEST
♠ 8 6 4 2
♥ A 5 3
♦ 7 6
♣ K 8 5 2

EAST
♠ Q 7 3
♥ K J 8 6 4 2
♦ 8
♣ 10 7 3

SOUTH
♠ K 9 5
♥ 10
♦ A K J 10 5 4 3 2
♣ 9

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	3 ♦	Pass
3 NT	Pass	5 ♦	Pass
6 ♦	Pass	Pass	Pass

West opened the heart ace. East signaled with the eight, and a heart was continued; declarer ruffing. Now blinded by the length and strength of his own trump suit, declarer hastened to draw the outstanding three trumps. Only after dummy's two valuable trump entries had thus been squandered did declarer awake to the fact that he might lose a trick in spades. Now (too late, too late) he bethought himself of establishing a second trick in dummy's club suit, in order to avoid guessing about the spade queen. The club ace was cashed and the queen led, in the naive hope that East, if he held the king, would cover. This birthday gift not materializing, declarer ruffed and, after aimlessly running off a few more trumps, finally reached the point where he made a blind stab at the spade finesse. When he misguessed it, playing West instead of East for the queen, he called on heaven to witness his horrible luck.

Obviously, the proper play, after ruffing the second heart, was to cash the club ace and ruff a low club with an honor, then to enter the dummy with the nine of trumps and ruff another club. The diamond queen then would be an entry for the ruffing of a third club, and it would be hard luck indeed to find the clubs so badly split that the king could not be ruffed out.

The contract also could have been made by a double squeeze, but, of course, there was no need for any complicated play on such a simple problem.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ A Q J 7 2
♥ 9 4
♦ Q 6
♣ A K 7 6

WEST
♠ 9 8 6 5 3
♥ —
♦ 10 9 8 4
♣ J 9 4 2

EAST
♠ 10
♥ J 10 8 6 3
♦ A 7 5 2
♣ Q 10 5

SOUTH
♠ K 4
♥ A K Q 7 5 2
♦ K J 3
♣ 8 3

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's article.

Weddings

STARK—SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith, 239 Menzies Street, announce the marriage of their only daughter Angela, to Mr. William Stark, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stark, Moss Street. The wedding took place in Nelson, B.C. on December 9. The young couple will reside at Michel, B.C. for the present, where Mr. Stark is stationed with the British Columbia Provincial Police.

COLEMAN—TISDALL

A wedding of much interest to the bride's many friends on Vancouver Island took place at St. Simon's Church, Toronto, on Saturday afternoon, December 4, when Sheila Mary, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tisdall, of "The Grange," Somenos, became the bride of Dr. John Urquhart Coleman, son of Dr. Leslie Coleman, Toronto. Rev. F. H. Brewin officiated against a background of white with Mr. Lewis at the organ. During the signing of the register Mrs. R. McNeil sang. Given in marriage by Mr. Kenneth Salmond, husband of the former Hope Leeming, of Victoria, the bride wore a frock of violet blue fine wool, with hat to match and corsage bouquet of lilies of the valley and Sweetheart roses. Miss Helen Tisdall was her sister's bridesmaid, in wine velvet with a wine velvet hat and corsage bouquet of roses. Dr. Joseph Jackson was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. John Stephens and Sutherland Stephens. Following the ceremony, a largely-attended reception was held at the home of Mrs. L. Coleman, Rowanwood Avenue, who welcomed the guests in black velvet with silver lame and black hat. The reception rooms were beautifully decorated with flowers. Later, Dr. and Mrs. Coleman left for a honeymoon trip, the bride donning a grey lamb coat. They will make their home in Sarnia, Ont.

JUBB—SIMON

The marriage of Miss Doreen Blanche Simon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Simon, Carrick Street, and Mr. Herbert Jubb, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jubb, Dundas Street, took place quietly last month in St. Saviour's Church, Rev. F. V. Venables officiating, having been postponed from September owing to the illness of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Jubb are now residing in Nanaimo.

Is Hostess At Musical

Mrs. Reginald T. Chave, A.V.C.M., entertained a group of friends Thursday afternoon at a delightful musical at her home on Government Street. Mrs. Chave, who played her entire programme from memory, was possibly in her best in her Chopin group, playing the "A Flat Valse" brilliantly, also her interpretation of the beautiful "Etude," which was played with wonderful expression, was much enjoyed.

Following the recital, tea was served, the table being tastefully decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and tapers of the same shade.

Juvenile Branch Will Meet Today

The Juvenile Branch of the Musical Art Society will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at the Victoria Truth Centre at 3 o'clock. The affair will be in the form of a Christmas party, with a short programme, games, and refreshments.

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ORPHANS' HOME ANNUAL MEETING
The Sixty-Fifth Annual Meeting of the subscribers to the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held on Tuesday, December 14th, 1937, at 4.30 P.M. at the City Hall, for the purpose of considering annual reports, the election of a board of management, and transacting any other business in the interests of the society.
A management meeting will follow the annual meeting.
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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Yuletide Party

The Misses Joyce and Joy Winsby, Miss Jane Barter and Miss Patricia Williams were hostesses at a jolly dance last night, when they entertained at the Uplands Golf Club about 150 of their friends. The ballroom and lounges were bright with Christmas decorations, and the upper lounge and sunroom, where punch was served, was effectively arranged with large white chrysanthemums in jardinieres. A buffet supper was served in the lower lounge, the table being centred with a silver bowl of white chrysanthemumse flanked by red tapers in silver holders. The lights throughout the clubhouse were pretty with Christmas shades. Dancing was enjoyed until 1 o'clock this morning, a popular three-piece orchestra playing the music. Many novelty dances were introduced into the programme. Among those present were Misses Diana and Daphne Ker, Ruth Horton, Gwen Wright, Jean Mayhew, Helen Baird, Ivy Brown, Betty McAdie, Diana and Particia Dawe, Rene Watson, Dorothy Watson, Roseanna Gillespie, Francis Steer, Audrey Eberts, Audrey and Sheila Boorman, Winnie Williams, Davina Dingwall, Fay Smith, Margaret Prentice, Gloria de Wolfe, Betty Ann McCarter, Peg Watson, Josephine Brown, Sue Jones, Yvonne Squire, Marjory Lindgren, Phyllis Dickinson, Diana, Joan and Isabel Cowley-Brown, Sheila McCabe, Peg Murray, Jean Beckwith, Doreen Payne, Joyce Scurrah, Muriel Paterson, Messrs. Adrian Stone, Bill Tyson, Billy Brown, Peter and Alister Denbigh, Colin Peter Rurtherford, J. Robbins, Victor Eaton, Ray McGregor, Jack Grogan, H. Rowe, Jack Boorman, Sandy Thompson, John Barlow, Sandy Hunter, Gerald Lane, Douglas Sutcliffe, M. Murray, Joe Cochrane, Al Cochrane, Wallace Earle, Hugh Langdon, Harry Clark, S. McNeill, Ray Butt, Esmond Horne, Dave Meharey, Michael Lee, Michael Symons, Denis Watson, John Meredith, Hugh MacDonald, Kenneth Cook, Jack Davey, Vernon Miller, Hayward Butt, Dudley Crawford, Paul Jeanneret, Bill Swift, John Nation, C. Shanks, Arthur Dukes, Ronnie Johns, Rob Dronfield, B. Martin and S. Martin.

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Badminton Dance

Members of the badminton committee of the Civil Service Sports Club were hosts at a delightful dance held on Tuesday evening at the Uplands Golf Clubhouse. During the evening, Mr. R. Hickling, vice-president of the Sports Club, presented cups to the winners of the open tournament held recently. Members of the committee in charge of arrangements for the dance were Messrs. J. Wells, A. Pearson, C. Axhorn and Misses E. Summers and M. Freeman. Among the invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. G. Sword, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawton, Mr. and Mrs. K. Rawnsley, Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sluggett, Mr. and Mrs. S. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Doherty; Misses J. Jardine, M. Mann, E. Peters, J. Mann, E. Morrison, M. Morrison, V. Martin, I. Gandy, I. White, V. Holt, L. Cruickshank, J. Banford, F. Wheadon, D. Anderson, H. Sharpe, E. Moffat, B. Prescott, W. Ross, J. Snetsinger, E. Kessinger, M. Morry, B. Patton, M. Dunsmuir, Dickson, J. Erickson, R. Lees, L. Stokes, C. Unsworth, G. Schroeder, B. Oldfield, A. MacFarlane, L. Spark, M. Mossey, D. Newman, J. Boyes, M. Gordon, L. MacDonald, J. MacDonald, S. O'Connall, J. Peake, R. Lambert, H. Schwengers, J. Kent, K. Burnes, E. Goddard, S. Checkley, E. O'Neill; Messrs. A. Pearson, C. Axhorn, B. Patton, J. Wells, G. Reynolds, H. Mann, H. Bjornson, H. Dayton, W. Lovell, S. Weston, G. Moore, P. Campbell, W. McKibben, C. Carpenter, R. Currie, L. Rooch, B. Ralfs, G. Whiting, C. Bell, B. Tuthill, C. Phillis, B. Brown, A. Evans, J. Stevens, H. McWilliams, E. Bell, W. Veitch, B. Varcoe, G. Page, W. Sheldon-Williams, N. Fraser, T. Tams, H. Mellish, J. Currie, B. Thorpe, D. Taylor, F. Crouch, J. Summers, W. Lyle, R. Kay, A. Rogerson, W. Ostler, G. O'Neill, R. Berry, F. LePoidevin, N. LePoidevin and B. Harris.

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Miscellaneous Shower

In honor of Miss Nora Charlton, whose marriage will take place in the near future, Mrs. F. Girton, Marigold Road, entertained at a miscellaneous shower held in her home on Thursday evening. The gifts were concealed in a large container, which had been decorated in seasonable colors, and accompanying this the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of carnations by Master Dennis Hartley. Games and music were enjoyed throughout the evening, and later refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. F. Stacey and Misses Muriel Girton and Molly Harper. The invited guests included Mesdames G. McWilliam, J. Charlton, J. Alexander, F. Stacey, Hunt Wilkinson, Carter, D. Reid, King, D. Harrison, G. Barker, A. P. Fryatt, Niveran, G. Hartley, T. Floyd, McLeod, Hollings, Tayler, C. Allison, Fields, Nix, Sinclair, Munro, Veals, C. Alexander, Lane, Hooper, Osman, Lloyd, and Misses Audrey Charlton, Jessie Oliver, Mary Muir, Phyllis Alexander, Molly Harper, Elsie Fryatt, Muriel Girton, Muriel Gordon, Joyce Stacey and Master Dennis Hartley.

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Sailing for Singapore

Mr. L. B. Howey, of the Singapore staff of the Standard Oil Company, will sail aboard the Empress of Russia today after spending six months' leave here with his family in their new home at 285 King George Terrace. He will return in about two years' time for another leave and is already looking forward to taking up permanent residence here upon his retirement five years hence. Mrs. Howey and Master Jim Howey will remain in the city, the latter having already started at a local school. Mr. and Mrs. Howey are delighted with Victoria and the Island, and have shown their faith in the future of this city by investing in several fine pieces of residential property.

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Christmas Flower Tea

A musical programme chosen as being specially in keeping with the Christmas season will be played at the flower tea at the Empress Hotel this afternoon. The numbers will be Johnny Keykins' "Second Serenade", Tschaikowsky's "Valse des Fleurs", Jessel's "Wedding of a Rose", selections from "The Merry Widow", a potpourri of Russian and gypsy airs, and a light intermezzo by Maurice Baron, entitled "On the Riviera."

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Farewell Parties

Mrs. H. N. Lay, who will leave next Monday for England, was the guest of honor at several informal parties yesterday afternoon. Mrs. H. A. Tomalin, Manor Road, gave a small coffee party in the morning; Mrs. A. J. Gray entertained a few friends at tea, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Husband were hosts at a cocktail party in the late afternoon.

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Return From Ottawa

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Parizeau have returned to their home on Richmond Avenue after spending the past two months in Eastern Canada. Mr. Parizeau was in Ottawa on business connected with the hydrographic survey, and Mrs. Parizeau visited relatives and friends in Ottawa, Quebec and Montreal.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Aubrey Kent, Douglas Street, who has been visiting Mrs. Fred Elkins in Vancouver, returned home yesterday.

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Leave for England

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Horsfall, Duncan, and their little daughter, Diana, left yesterday to spend Christmas in England.

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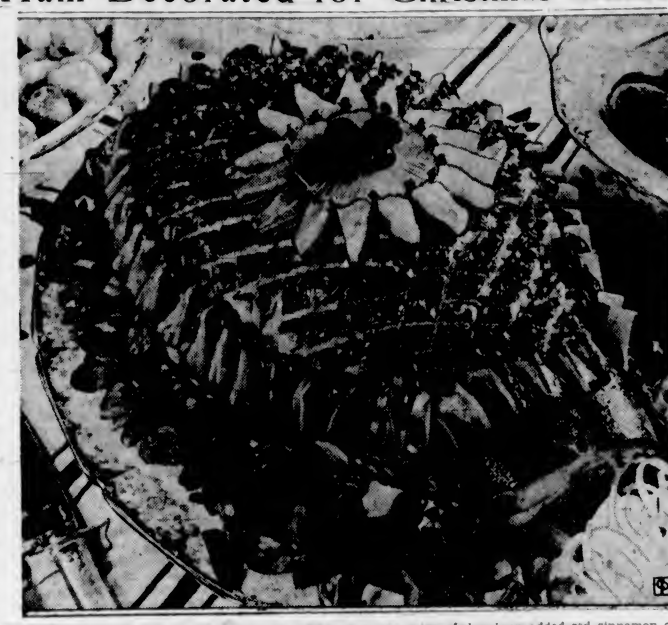
Returns to Vancouver

Miss Katharine Lee, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gilliland, Johnson Street, has returned to her home in Vancouver.

Ham Decorated for Christmas Dinner



BAKED HAM WITH PINEAPPLE—Give the ham its preliminary baking or boiling, whichever method you employ. After having removed the rind and scored the fat into neat little squares, allow it to stand overnight with two cups of honey poured over it. Next day add to the honey about a cup of the syrup from a can of sliced pineapple and a cup of ginger ale. Insert a whole clove into the centre of each square scored in the ham. Place ham in a very slow oven and baste every twenty minutes for an hour, or until the baking period is completed, and the outer surface of the ham is evenly browned. Just before serving, garnish the surface of the ham with rings and wedges of sliced pineapple and sections of maraschino cherries. Watercress or sprigs of parsley make an attractive green contrast for the base of the ham.

Another tasty accompaniment for your ham platter may be rings of pineapple heated in their own syrup, to which has been added a bit of spearmint extract, and enough green coloring to give it a nice tint, and allowed to stand overnight or longer in the syrup. Slip a cube of red jelly in the centre of each, or you can alternate the rings of minted pineapple with pineapple slices which have been bathed in a cinnamon syrup—merely a handful of red cinnamon candles aded to the hot pineapple syrup.

A baked ham may also be garnished with cinnamon apple cups, apples cored and flavored with cinnamon bark, or a syrup to which has been added red cinnamon candies. Pile the apples high with a sauce made by combining cranberry sauce with crushed pineapple.

All of these accompaniment suggestions for a ham platter may be used equally well with turkey, if you have made this selection for your holiday dinner. If you are stuffing a regal bird, you will be interested in this pineapple stuffing. It is just different enough to make a lasting and favorable impression: Add to your favorite fruit stuffing a cup of well-drained crushed pineapple, or use two cups of soft bread crumbs, one cup partly drained, crushed pineapple, one well-beaten egg, three slices of cooked bacon, cut fine; one-half cup celery, salt, pepper, paprika. Enough for a nice little roasting hen. Do a bit of multiplication for the turkey.

P.-T.A. Activities

DUNCAN

A meeting of the Duncan P.-T.A. will be held on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the K. of P. Hall. The meeting will take the form of a Christmas musicale, "Christmas Around the World," with Miss Rosiemal Parfitt in charge. Miss Parfitt will be assisted by the following artists: Vocal soloists, Mrs. W. Dobson, Miss M. Wood and Mr. L. Langlois, vocal duets, Misses E. Gordon and E. Hutchinson; male quartettes, Messrs. H. Sundberg, P. R. Dobson, K. Oldfield, J. Dick, under the direction of Mr. C. Laubach. Miss L. Monk will act as accompanist. Christmas carols will be sung by everyone. Mrs. Driver and Mrs. B. Burrows are in charge of the decorating. The public is invited.

Y.P.S. News

OBYPA

On Tuesday, the Oak Bay Young People's Society will hold a concert in the Sunday-school room. The artists taking part in the evening's performance are Miss Bee Hollings, contralto, Mr. Jack Townsend, bass; Mr. Raymond Pellor, cornet; Mr. H. H. Hollins, piano, Mr. Jim Robson, violin, Mr. Walter Reid, harmonica; Mr. Caesar Finnemore, recitation. A short one-act Christmas play will be put on, with the following taking part: Misses Gertrude McComb, Molly Kennedy, Edna Mae Bell, Sylvia Cassie, Vera Bell; Messrs. Harold Benson, Ken Wilson and Bert Simpson. There is no charge to this affair, but a collection will be taken. The public is invited.

TILLICUM CLUB

The regular meeting of St. Aidan's Tillicum Club was held in the church assembly hall under the direction of Group Three. The feature of the evening was a contest, "Know Your City," conducted by Marjorie Griffiths. R. Clarke was appointed representative for the Drama Festival committee. There will be no meeting on December 13. A Christmas party is being arranged for the meeting of December 20. Barbara Dawson moved a vote of thanks to Group Three. The meeting adjourned with the singing of the hymn, "Silent Night." Tickets are now on sale for the play, "Path Across the Hill," which is to be presented on December 16 and 17.

LEAVES HOST OF FRIENDS

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personality and graced innumerable occasions in which her husband played a distinguished role. She had a faculty for making very close and binding personal friendships and by these she will be especially missed.

She at one time occupied the position of honorary president of the Women's Canadian Club in Victoria, was an honorary regent of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., and a member and regular worshipper of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

The McBride home for twelve years was at "Glenelg," Gorge Road. This was during the period between

THE LATE LADY McBRIDE

1903 and 1915, while Sir Richard was Premier of the Province, and the house and grounds were known far and wide for their beauty. When Sir Richard went to London in 1915 as British Columbia Agent-General, Lady McBride accompanied him, but returned here after his death in 1917. Until two years ago she lived at 830 Quadra Street, but latterly had been staying with two of her daughters, first in Calgary, and latterly in Vancouver.

TOUCHING TRIBUTE

A touching tribute to the memory both of Sir Richard and Lady McBride was made in the Provincial Legislature yesterday morning by Premier Pattullo, who referred to the loss the province had sustained in Lady McBride's passing. The members stood in silent tribute.

Six daughters survive, Mrs. Marshall Beck and Mrs. Macgregor Macintosh, Vancouver; Mrs. John H. Moore, Mrs. Maurice Carmichael and Mrs. Basil Hood, Victoria, and Mrs. Bruce Forbes, Port Alberni.

The funeral services here Monday will be conducted by Rev. Harry Lennox, of Kerrisdale Presbyterian Church, Vancouver.

TWENTY-SIX DEAD AFTER COLLISION

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Railway company officials announced they had received confirmation of twenty-four deaths. After the statement was issued rescue workers took two more bodies from the wreckage.

One worker clambered from the piled-up cars and said: "There are more bodies inside — women, I think."

COACHES TELESCOPED

Two front coaches of the moving train telescoped, the front one rearing up on its end, forty feet high, on top of the remains of the wrecked locomotive. Coaches of both trains were all derailed.

Uninjured passengers, including soldiers on leave, aided miners en route to work nearby, and others who hastened to the scene in digging into the debris, while women of Castlecary warmed them in their grim task with cups of tea.

The engineer of the following train was thrown clear, but his fireman was killed.

PASSENGERS' STORY

John Ventners, a passenger on the Edinburgh train, said: "My first impression was the engine had jumped the rails . . . we were horrified to find the first two coaches were completely telescoped."

R. H. Kirk, of Glasgow, who escaped from one of the telescoped coaches, said he was "flung on top of other passengers. I was jolted up to the roof."

Late tonight eighteen of the dead had been identified. There were no Canadians among them.

Forty injured had reached hospitals, while others were believed en route to Stirling, Falkirk and Glasgow in private automobiles, buses and other vehicles traveling snow-packed roads.

SAW MAN RUNNING

One survivor said:

"Just after the train flashed through Castlecary Station I noticed a man running along the line carrying a light, and evidently trying to stop the train. There was a terrific crash."

The collision took place at about 4.45 p.m., the railway statement said.

The Dundee Express was at a standstill when its rear coaches were struck with such violence that several cars telescoped.

Rescue squads fought with difficulty through scattered debris to the injured, many of them women and children, whose screams could be heard long after the collision.

The main line was blocked by the accident, and traffic diverted.

AIDED HIS MOTHER

Gordon Dickson, of Edinburgh, who was thrown clear and escaped injury, said the first person he aided from the wreckage was his own mother, also uninjured. He did not now she was on the same train. Four persons were killed in the compartment in which Dickson traveled.

The dead were laid out in huts near the railway station as they were extricated from the twisted steel and wood of the coaches.

The accident, its cause unknown, was by far the worst any United Kingdom railway suffered this year. A collision at Clapham Junction in London, April 4, resulted in ten killed and twenty injured.

Other big British rail accidents included:

June 27, 1928, twenty-five killed, fifty injured, in a collision between an excursion and a parcel train at Darlington.

October 13, 1928, fifteen killed, thirty injured, in a Gloucestershire collision.

June 15, 1935, fourteen killed, thirty injured, between Welwyn and Garden City in Hertfordshire.

Fire in Saanich Destroys House And Life Belts

Fire of unknown origin which started shortly after 8 o'clock last evening completely destroyed the interior of a vacant two-story residence at 3084 Albina Street, together with a quantity of lifebelts stored on the premises.

The owner, a Japanese fisherman, was absent at the time of the conflagration.

The outbreak was brought under control by equipment from the Saanich fire department.

VETERANS ENJOY ANNUAL SMOKER

Members of Ex-Servicemen's Club Hold Successful Supper and Entertainment

Many members of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association gathered in the rotunda of the clubrooms last evening, to enjoy the annual buffet dinner and smoking concert.

Commencing at 7:30, a lengthy programme of entertainment, under the chairmanship of Harry Winter, was presented.

Those contributing to the programme were: C. Prescott, baritone solos; Len Foster, whistling solos; J. Collins, tenor solos; duet, concertina and violin, W. Holmes and W. Anderson; Stanley James and Tom Obee, comic songs and duets; Yorkie, ventriloquist; R. Potts, tap dancing; G. Gray, baritone solos; J. Gow, living marionettes; the horse act, Stanley James, Tom Obee and Ray Hunt.

The orchestra, which contributed intermission numbers, was under the direction of Bert Cartwright. Bill Emmerson was accompanist for the soloists and community singing.

FOXY

Young William found his sweetheart asleep on the sofa when he called one evening. When she woke up she accused him of stealing a kiss.

"Well, darling," he said, "I will admit that the temptation was too strong for me. I did steal just one."

"Just one!" cried the girl, indignantly. "Why, I counted at least seven before I woke up!"

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—British Columbia Forestry Department officials here today seized a scow-load of Christmas trees, cut on Crown lands, as they were being loaded into boxcars for shipment to the Eastern United States market.

Officials said the trees would be held until payment of two cents per tree was made by the shippers.

EQUAL

Pat finished work at the pit. When he put on his coat he noticed his mates laughing at him. Wondering what was wrong, he took it off again and saw a donkey's head chalked on it.

"Begorra," he exclaimed, "some smart lad has dried his face on my coat!"

At the Theatres

ATLAS THEATRE Lew Pollack and Sidney D. Mitchell composed five song hits for "Life Begins in College," starring the Ritz Brothers and featuring Joan Davis, Tony Martin and Gloria Stuart, and showing for the last times today at the Atlas Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE The latest Garbo drama, "Conquest," in which the incomparable Swedish actress is co-starred with Charles Boyer, and shows for the last times today at the Capitol Theatre, is one of the most powerful and moving photoplays the screen has offered in a decade.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Take a look at some of the things Gene doesn't do in "Rootin' Tootin' Rhythm," his latest Republic picture, which shows for the last times today at the Columbia Theatre. The principal thing is he doesn't do anything which would offend the army of small boys who worship him, or put bad ideas into their heads.

DOMINION THEATRE With Edward G. Robinson in the title role, and James Stewart and Rose Stradner, glamorous new discovery from Vienna, in the romantic leads, "The Last Gangster," stirring drama of a man's term in prison, is now at the Dominion Theatre.

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — "Life Begins in College," starring the Ritz Brothers.

Capitol — Greta Garbo in "Conquest."

Columbia — "Rootin' Tootin' Rhythm," starring Gene Autry.

Dominion—Edward G. Robinson in "The Last Gangster."

Oak Bay — "Hell's Angels," starring Ben Lyon.

Plaza—Jack Holt in "Roaring Timber."

PLAZA THEATRE Jack Holt has been a Number One star attraction for almost a quarter of a century. His performance in "Roaring Timber," which shows for the last times today at the Plaza Theatre, will add a new feather to his heavily-plumed cap, will thrill his army of fans and win millions of new ones.

OAK BAY THEATRE The biggest air fleet ever assembled for a non-Government enterprise was gathered together by Howard Hughes for the making of "Hell's Angels," the multi-million-dollar air spectacle which is now showing at the Oak Bay Theatre.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Pooley have returned from a trip to California

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Churches and Their World-Wide Work

TO SHOW FATE OF DICTATORS

Rev. S. R. Orr Will Lecture On Future Status of Democracies

Rev. S. R. Orr will again lecture in the Crystal Garden Concert Hall on Sunday evening. His subject will be "Are Democracies on the Run Before Dictators? How Is World Deliverance Promised?"

The questions then to be answered are:

"What does Britain fear now that French Minister Delbos is touring Central Europe and King Leopold makes two quick trips to London in a month?" "Is the anti-Communist bloc a warning to the world or a protection against Russia?"

"Italy violated Ethiopia; Japan attacked China; what will be Germany's war adventure?"

"Will Hitler succeed in muzzling the Christian Church in Germany?" "Can a totalitarian state be justified in the Scriptures?" "What obstacle has God placed in the way of the world dominion bid of the Dictator powers?"

"Will the Duke of Windsor be the next Viceroy of India?" "How can it be demonstrated with mathematical certainty that the Bible is the work of God's Spirit?"

"Is Mussolini right in declaring that the thunder of cannon means more today than the resolutions of Geneva?" "Does prophecy encourage us to look for the same kind of miraculous deliverance found in the history of the nation of Israel?"

Community singing will begin at 7:15 p.m. and doors will open at 6:30 p.m. The music will again be contributed by Miss James, piano; Miss Shrapnel, violin, and Miss Fallows, 'cellist.

EXPERIENCE WILL BE GIVEN PRAISE

Rev. F. R. Dredge's Evening Topic At Oak Bay United Is "Experimental Religion"

At Oak Bay United Church tomorrow morning, the minister, Rev. F. R. G. Dredge, will speak on "Some of Man's Great Privileges," and in the evening on "Experimental Religion or Come and See."

In the morning Mrs. T. H. Johns will sing "The Angels' Song" (Stickles). Edmund Pearson will sing "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings" (Liddle), in the evening. The choir will render an anthem at each service.

Anglican Services

Christ Church Cathedral

THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT

Holy Communion, 8 and 9:30 A.M.
Matins, 11 A.M. Preacher: The Bishop of Columbia.
Evensong, 7:30 P.M. Preacher, Rev. A. E. Hendy.

James Bay Mission Service, 7:30 P.M.

St. John's Church

8 A.M., Holy Communion
11 A.M., Morning Prayer
Preacher, ARCHDEACON GRAHAM
7:30 P.M., Evensong
Preacher, REV. G. R. V. BOLSTER

St. Barnabas

Cor. Cook and Caledonia (No. 8 Car)
8 A.M.—Holy Eucharist
11 A.M.—Holy Eucharist (Sung)
7:30 P.M.—Evensong
Rev. N. E. Smith, Rector

St. Mary's, Oak Bay

Holy Communion, 8 A.M.
Matins and Sermon, 11 A.M.
Evensong and Sermon, 7 P.M.
Senior Sunday School, 9.45 A.M.
Junior Sunday School, 11 A.M.
Archdeacon A. E. deL. Nunns, M.A.
Rev. H. St. J. Payne, M.A., Assistant

St. Saviour's Church

Victoria West, Cor. Catherine and Henry Streets (Cars 1 or 5)
Rev. F. Vernon Venables, Rector
THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT
8 A.M.—Holy Communion
11 A.M.—Children's Service and Address
7 P.M.—Evensong and Sermon
"Without the power of choice between good and evil, man would have no moral responsibility, and so would be on a level with the brutes."

To View God As Preserver Of Humanity

"God the Preserver of Man" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday. The golden text is: "The Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto His heavenly kingdom; to whom be glory for ever and ever" (II Timothy iv, 18).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord is good to all; and His tender mercies are over all His Works" (Psalms cxlv, 9).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Love is impartial and universal in its adaptation and bestowals. It is the open fount which cries, 'Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters.'"

LAST IN SERIES ON SHEPHERDHOOD

Dr. J. B. Rowell's Evening Theme Is Christ as Chief Shepherd and Triumphant Lord

"The Chief Shepherd—Christ, the King of Glory—Our Triumphant Lord" will be the theme at the Central Baptist Church on Sunday evening, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell, will preach. A warm welcome is extended to all to hear this last message in the series on "Triunity in Christ's Shepherdhood as Revealed in the Scriptures." Young people are urged to rally to lead the singing.

At the morning service the message of vital importance to Christians will be "With Christ at the Five Inner Portals to Mansoul."

The Bible school will meet on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock as usual.

OFFERS CURE FOR TROUBLED WORLD

At First Baptist Church tomorrow morning Rev. G. A. Reynolds will preach on "The Value of Discontent," basing his theme on Phil. iii, 14. In the evening the minister's sermon subject will be "The Troubled World: Its Cause and Cure."

Choir music for the day follows: Morning solo, Mrs. S. M. Morton, "God Is Our Refuge" (Carey); "Rock of Ages" (Dudley Buck), Mrs. Alex Coles singing the solo part. Evening solo, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" (Macdougall), J. Dinsmore Stanley Honeychurch and choir will render Turner's anthem, "At Even Ere the Sun Was Set."

Grace Lutheran Topic Is "Faith"

Rev. Edwin Bracher, pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, will preach on "Faith" at the 11 o'clock service on Sunday morning. Mrs. A. Whitby will sing "Ivory Palaces" at the evening service, and the pastor will preach on "The Incarnation."

Victoria City Temple

817 North Park Street
9.45 A.M.—School of Religious Education
11 A.M.—"The Unrecognized Christ," REV. S. HOWARD, B.A., B.D., D.D.
7:30 P.M.—Evening Service, REV. S. T. ROBSON

CENTENNIAL UNITED CHURCH

Preacher: REV. DR. W. D. REID, of Montreal. Assisted by Pastor, Rev. A. D. Reid
11 A.M.—"Drinking From the Best Springs of Life"
7:30 P.M.—"An Old Testament Epitaph for the Prodigal Son"
Soloist: J. Matheson

First United Church

Quadra Street and Balmoral Road
Minister: Rev. W. G. Wilson, M.A., D.D.
Assistant Minister: Rev. John E. Bell, B.A.
SUNDAY SERVICES
DR. W. G. WILSON Will Preach at Both Morning and Evening Services, 11 and 7:30 o'Clock
SUNDAY SCHOOL
9:45 A.M.—Intermediates and Seniors
11 A.M.—Primaries and Juniors
MONDAY
8 P.M.—Young People's Society

APPRECIATION TO BE VOICED

Centennial Pastor Here for Farewell Services of Montreal Brother

REV. ANDREW D. REID, M.A., D.D.

At Centennial United Church on Sunday at 11 a.m., Rev. Dr. W. D. Reid, Montreal, will preach on "Drinking From the Best Springs in Life," and at 7:30 p.m. he will take for his topic, "An Old Testament Epitaph for the Prodigal Son."

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Andrew D. Reid, will assist at the services.

At the morning service the choir will render the anthem, "How Long Wilt Thou Forget Me, Lord?" (Pflueger), with solo part by Mrs. F. Leech, and in the evening the anthem, "Night Hymn at Sea" (Thompson), by the ladies' voices. J. J. Matheson will sing "Our Blest Redeemer."

At the close of the evening service, opportunity will be given to those who wish to voice their appreciation of the services rendered to Centennial Church during the absence through illness of the pastor by his brother, Rev. Dr. W. D. Reid, who will leave for his home in Montreal early next week.

At Salvation Army

Adjutant and Mrs. Watt will lead the three meetings tomorrow at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. The adjutant will speak at the morning meeting on "Consuming Fire," and in the evening on "What Time Is It?" A praise meeting will be held in the afternoon with the Citadel Band, Songster Brigade and the Singing Company taking part.

GUEST SPEAKERS AT CITY TEMPLE

"The Unrecognized Christ" will be the topic of the morning service Sunday by Rev. S. Howard, D.D., in the Victoria City Temple. Rev. S. T. Robson will preach at the evening service.

Cliffe Forrester's anthem, "Arising of the Light" will be the morning anthem and "Gather Us In" by R. G. Thompson, will be sung in the evening.

Church Services Not Listed Elsewhere

St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt — Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Special preacher, Rev. E. O. Robothan, 10:30 p.m. Rev. Arthur Bischlager, 7:30 p.m.

St. Matthias'—Rev. Alan Gardiner. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Junior Church, 9:35 a.m. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

St. Mark's, Cloverdale—Rev. O. L. Jull. Holy Communion, 8 and 11 a.m. Mission address, 7 p.m.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Rev. S. Ryall, 8 and 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Michael's, Royal Oak — Rev. Canon Wickens. Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

St. Columba, Strawberry Vale—Rev. Canon Wickens, 9:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

St. John's, Colwood—Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh, 7 p.m.

St. Matthew's, Langford — Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh, 8 and 11 a.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields — Rev. Canon Stocken and Rev. Canon Terry. Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m.

Belmont Avenue United — Rev. Bryce Wallace, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Wilkinson Road United—Rev. William Allan, 10 and 11:15 a.m.

Garden City United — Rev. William Allan, 2 and 3:15 p.m.

Esquimalt United Naval and Military Church — Rev. James Hood, 10:30 a.m.

Victoria West United—Rev. C. D. Clarke, 11 a.m.

James Bay United—Rev. C. D. Clarke, 7:30 p.m.

St. Aidan's United—Rev. T. G. Griffiths, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Gorge Presbyterian—Rev. T. H. McAllister. Communion, 11 a.m.

Erskine Presbyterian—Rev. T. H. McAllister. Communion, 7 p.m.

Knox Presbyterian—Rev. J. Mackie Niven, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Salvation Army, Esquimalt Corps—Capt. Fairle Muttart and Lieut. Florence L. Thompson, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

S. W. Sloan Asks Where Security Is

Tomorrow morning at Victoria Truth Centre, Samuel Walker Sloan will speak on "Where Is Security?" Mrs. Gwen Goodman will sing "The Lord Is My Light" (Addison).

The evening topic will be "Dominion Within." Miss Marian Mitchell will sing "Art Thou Troubled" (Handel).

'LIFE'S BATTLE' WILL BE THEME

Morning Sermon by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse—Evening, Victoria Male Choir

"The Battle of Life" will be the theme of the sermon at Metropolitan United Church tomorrow morning, when the pastor, Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, will preach. In the evening Mr. Whitehouse will speak on "Making Our Dreams Come True."

The Victoria Male Choir, under the direction of Frank Tupman, will be in attendance at the evening service and will take the place of the regular choir, singing two numbers, "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee" (Bach), and "Great Is Jehovah the Lord" (Schubert), with the solo obbligato by Miss Dorothy Parsons. Edward Parsons will preside at the organ and Maquinna Daniels at the piano.

The anthem by the church choir for the morning service will be "Blessing, Glory" (Brewer).

WAR IN PACIFIC TO BE ENVISAGED

E. E. Richards to Discuss Prophetic Significance of Scripture Regarding Conflict in Orient

"The End of the Age and the Approach to the Abyss" will be the subject of an address to be given by E. E. Richards, under the auspices of the British-Israel World Federation, on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Campbell Building.

Mr. Richards will discourse on the great prophecies concerning the end of this present age (1937-1938) and the world-shaking events accompanying it.

The lecture will discuss the prophetic significance of the Sino-Japanese conflict, and presage a clash of navies in the Pacific, with its possible effect on Victoria and Vancouver.

SAVIOUR'S NAME WILL BE SUBJECT

At the Emmanuel Baptist Church this Lord's Day morning, the pastor, Dr. Andrew S. Imrie, will preach on "Face Nature and Reward." In the evening he will give a special message to the believer, his subject being "The Saviour With a Name."

The usual sacred song service will be held at 7:15 p.m., led by Don Smith. The choir will render appropriate anthems at both morning and evening service.

ADVENT SERMONS TO BE CONTINUED

The services at St. John's Church for Sunday will consist of Holy Communion at 8 a.m., Morning Prayer and sermon at 11 a.m., and Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p.m.

Ven. Archdeacon F. H. Graham, Nelson, B.C., will continue his Advent series of sermons on "The Kingdom" at the 11 o'clock service, and in the evening Rev. G. R. V. Bolster will be the preacher.

Ministers' Sons On Medical Duty

Two sons of ministers have been recently appointed to United Church hospitals in British Columbia. Dr. C. A. Armstrong, a graduate of the University of Toronto, who is a son of the late Rev. Dr. R. C. Armstrong, of Japan, goes this month to Port Simpson, and Dr. Robert Irish, son of a missionary in West China, has been assigned to Port Hazelton.

HEALING TO BE ADDRESS TOPIC

At the First Spiritualist Church, 1216 Broad Street, tomorrow at 7:30 p.m., Rev. W. L. Holder will give a trance address on "Healing." The soloist will be Mrs. C. P. Milne. There will be messages by flowers at this service.

Former Incumbent at St. Alban's

REV. J. W. LEIGHTON, B.A.,

Formerly priest-in-charge at St. Alban's, and now superintendent of the Missions to Seamen, Vancouver, will preach tomorrow at St. Alban's, and Rev. F. Comley at Evensong.

FOURTH MISSION BOAT PURCHASED

"Thomas Crosby Number Four" Will Cover Northern B.C. Waters For United Church

The new eighty-foot mission boat that is reported from Toronto to have been purchased by the United Church Home Mission Board for service along the isolated areas of the British Columbia coast will be the fourth vessel to be named after the great pioneer missionary, Dr. Thomas Crosby, of the former Methodist Church.

Like its immediate predecessor, Thomas Crosby, the new boat will run out of Ocean Falls and Bella Bella, to go as far south at Smith's Inlet and north to Lowe Inlet, and covering the Charlotte Island waters. It will carry a doctor and have accommodation for some five or six patients while they are being transported to the United Church hospital at Bella Bella.

Rev. Peter Kelly, formerly of Nanaimo, himself a native Haida Indian, who has been in charge of the present Thomas Crosby for several years, will take over the new vessel.

NOTED SHIPBUILDER

The first Thomas Crosby was launched in 1912. She was eighty feet long, but being found too large for service at that time, was sold and Thomas Crosby, Number Two took her place. During the war this was taken over by the Dominion Government. Number three was built in 1917 and has given good service for the past twenty years.

The late Captain Oliver, who was for many years so helpfully identified with mission work along the Pacific Coast, was the builder of the three Thomas Crosby craft, as also of the Melvin Swartout, which now plies up and down the West Coast of Vancouver Island under the captaincy of Rev. U. Laite, until recently of Newfoundland.

A third vessel, the Sky Pilot, with Rev. L. G. Gillard in charge, runs from Cape Mudge to Cape Scott on the northeast coast of Vancouver Island.

"RESURRECTION" WILL BE SUBJECT

On Tuesday, in the Y.M.C.A. Hall, H. L. Sterling will address the Victoria and District British-Israel Association on "Resurrection."

Other meetings for the week are: Tuesday, Sooke Branch, Sooke, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Prospect Lake, home of Miss Hewitt, speaker, Mrs. Brake, 8 p.m. Thursday, Bible Study Circle, Cridge Memorial Hall, 8 p.m.

Bishop Taylor-Smith, whose preaching services during the recent Moody Centenary celebration in this city and elsewhere, were so warmly received, has had an attack of pneumonia in San Francisco, according to the last issue of The Canadian Churchman. The latest reports are that he had passed the crisis, but it will be a long time before he is well again.

The International Sunday school lesson for tomorrow is entitled "Christian Fellowship." I John i, 1-7; Revelation xxi, 1-7, with the golden text, "Our fellowship is with the Father, and with his Son, Jesus Christ—I John i, 3.

Bishop Sexton and Rev. A. E. Hendy to Be Day's Preachers

AT Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow there will be celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. The Bishop of the Diocese will be the preacher at Matins and Rev. A. E. Hendy at Evensong.

GUEST TO GIVE PERSONAL WORD

Rev. J. McNab Will Preach —Lord's Supper to Be Observed

Tomorrow will be Communion Sunday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, when the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at both morning and evening services.

Rev. John McNab, M.A., B.D., Toronto, will preach in the morning on "What Christ Means to Me," and in the evening his subject will be "The Centrality of the Cross."

The anthem for the morning service will be "O Love the Lord" (Sullivan), and the evening anthem will be "My Soul Truly Waiteth Still Upon Thee" (Bruce Steane).

HEALING AGENCY TO BE PRESENTED

Dr. Randall-Collyer at Christ's Healing Centre—Dr. Kelley on "Illumination Within"

At Christ's Healing Centre, Dr. Estella Kelley on Sunday at 7:30 p.m. in the Campbell Building will give an inspirational healing message on "Spiritual Illumination Within."

A. W. Arnup will speak on "Our Lord's First Advent" and Dr. Randall-Collyer will take as her subject "Life's Greatest Healing Agent."

Miss Mae Muir will be the soloist and Miss Betty Mulliner will play violin selections.

A short song service will be held starting at 7:15 p.m. There will be healing silence and inspirational healing prayers.

FORMER DEAN IN RUISLIP CHURCH

Very Rev. C. S. Quainton Is Now Locum Tenens in Middlesex Parish, Report States

Word has been received that Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, formerly Dean of Christ Church Cathedral here, is now in charge of St. Martin's, Ruislip, Middlesex. His position is that of locum tenens, following the unexpected death of the former incumbent. Ruislip is about thirty miles from Beckenham, Kent, where Rev. E. P. Laycock, formerly Archdeacon of Columbia, is rector of St. Paul's Church.

Church Personals

Dr. Robert George Boville, aged eighty-three years, founder of the Daily Vacation Bible School movement, died recently in New York. Born at Belfast, Dr. Boville went to Ottawa with his family as a young man. He studied at McMaster Hall Theological Seminary, Toronto, and in Europe, and for several years was pastor of James Street Baptist Church, Hamilton, Ont. Until a week before his death he was active as a director of the World Association of Vacation Bible Schools he founded.

Dr. James Black, minister of St. George's West Church, Edinburgh, is the new moderator of the Church of Scotland. He has been holding the interest of this large and notable congregation for the past sixteen years. Among his predecessors were Dr. Alexander Whyte, Dr. Hugh Black (now of Union Seminary, New York), and Dr. John Kelman. During three years of chaplaincy in the war, Dr. Black rose to the rank of major and obtained the O.B.E.

The world Jewish population is estimated to be 16,295,000, approximately distributed as follows: Europe, 9,736,000; Asia, 936,000; Africa, 560,000; North and South America, 5,036,000; Australia and New Zealand, 27,000.

CHURCH NOTICES

LIBERAL CATHOLIC

Church of St. George, 1911 Government Services Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 11 a.m. Solemn Benediction, 7:30 p.m. Other services as announced.

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian, Orange Hall, Chatham Street. Morning, 11. Evening, 7:30, subject, Time. All welcome.

Christadelphian, Shrine Temple, View Street. Sunday morning, 11. Evening, public address.

GOSPEL HALL

Oaklands Gospel Hall, Hillside car terminus. Sunday, 10 a.m., Bible classes; 11 a.m., worship; 3 p.m. Sunday school; 7:30 p.m. Gospel service, speaker: Mr. A. Inrie. Tuesday, 8 p.m., prayer and Bible study, subject, Buffeting for Christ; Acts, Chapters 21 to 24.

LUTHERAN

Grace Lutheran Church, Blanshard at Queens. Pastor, Rev. Edwin Bracher; services 11 and 7:45.

PRESBYTERIAN

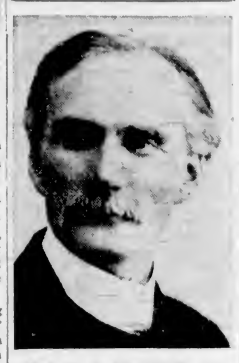
St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, corner Henry and Mary Streets. Minister, Rev. Dennis Hyde. Sunday school, 9:45 a.m. Public worship, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

SPIRITUALIST

First Spiritualist Church, 1216 Broad Street. Lyceum, 11 a.m. Trance address, 7:30 p.m., Rev. W. L. Holder, messages. Public message circle, Monday, 7:45 p.m. Surrey Block.

Spiritual Mission of Alexis, 1042 Balmoral Road. Address, 7:30, followed by messages.

To Preach in Noted Baptist Edifice



REV. W. G. SCROGGIE, D.D.

Who conducted a fortnight of services in this city last Autumn, has accepted the invitation of the deacons to occupy the pulpit of Metropolitan Tabernacle in London for an extended period. This is the famous Baptist house of worship in Newington where the famous Rev. Charles Spurgeon preached from 1861 to 1892. The preacher-elect will begin early in the new year and will continue to the end of 1938. In addition to preaching on Sundays, Dr. Scroggie will preside at the church prayer meetings on Monday evenings and will conduct a Bible Class on Thursdays.

LOCAL LECTURER HAS WORK IN VANCOUVER

E. E. Richards, who gives a weekly Monday evening lecture in this city on British-Israel subjects, will take the work of Dr. Clem Davies in Vancouver during the latter's absence for three months in Great Britain and Europe. The Vancouver services are held on Sunday.

THE FRUIT TART—ARISTOCRAT HAILING FROM PLEBEINS

The dainty, delicious and often as not forbidden delicacy that we know as the fruit tart is a pastry aristocrat hailing from quite plebein antecedents.

The English word "tart" is a direct carry-over from the French "tarte," which, in turn, stems from the Low Latin "torta."

Originally, the "torta" was a sort of round bread whose top crust was twisted in shape, the name deriving from the Latin "torqueo," twist.

In time, the top crust was dispensed with, either in whole or in large part, while the inner dough was supplanted by fruit or jelly which was esconced in a cake batter.

Thus almost everything was changed but the name which, however, bears the indelible mark of how it started.

DEWAR LAKE, Sask., Dec. 10.—So severe was the blizzard in this district on Monday and Tuesday that school children at Prairiedale spent the night in the schoolhouse and none attempted to find their way home through drifts which in places were piled ten feet high.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

Rev. Peter McNabb (Interim Moderator)
Sunday School, 9.45 o'Clock
Morning Service, 11 o'Clock
Evening Service, 7:30 o'Clock
COMMUNION SUNDAY
The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper Will Be Dispensed Both Morning and Evening
REV. JOHN McNABB, M.A., B.D., of Toronto, Will Officiate

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

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This Church Is a Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts
Sunday Services, 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
"God the Preserver of Man"
Sunday School, 9:45 and 11 A.M.
Testimonial Meeting Wednesday, 8 P.M.
Reading-Room and Lending Library, 512 Bayward Building
All Are Welcome

CONGREGATION TO BE VISITED

One Hundred Workers Will Make Calls—Dr. Wilson Is Day's Preacher

Both services tomorrow in First United Church will be conducted by Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D. In the morning he will preach on "The Imperious Urge," and in the evening on "Dangerous Drifting."

During the afternoon almost one hundred church workers will make the annual visitation of the congregation and will try to call at all the homes of First Church people between 2 and 5 o'clock. The people have been asked to remain at home from 2 o'clock until after the workers have called.

The music for the day follows:

Morning—Solo, "Behold Me at the Door" (Knapp), Miss Ethel Mercer; anthem, "O Lord, Our Governor" (Gadsby).

Evening—Solo, "O That I Knew" (Maunder), Mrs. C. Goodwin; chorus, "I Heard the Voice of Jesus"; anthem, "Lift Up Your Heads" (Ashford); soloist, Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

REV. N. J. CREES AT SUNDAY SERVICES

Fairfield United Pastor to Preach At Night on "Is Life Worth Living?"

Rev. Norman J. Crees will preach on Sunday at Fairfield United Church, taking as his morning text, "Make the Heart of This People Fat," and to the children he will speak on "Fighting Fish." The evening subject will be, "Is Life Worth Living?"

The morning anthem will be "Come, Holy Ghost" (Attwood), with Miss Connie Barlow as soloist. Mrs. A. W. Stokes will sing "There Is a Love Embracing All" (Lovell). In the evening, L. Abbott will sing, "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes" (Bartlett), and the anthem will be "Glory to Thee, My God, This Night" (Gounod).

ALEXIS MISSION

The Spiritual Mission of Alexis, 1042 Balmoral Road, will meet tomorrow at 7:30 p.m., when the control, "Alexis," will speak on "When I Awake!" At the close of the service, messages will be given.

First Baptist Church

Quadra and Mason Streets
Rev. G. A. Reynolds, Minister
Sunday Services: 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
C. C. Warren, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M., Organist and Choir Director

CENTRAL BAPTIST

"We Preach Christ Crucified, Crowned and Coming." Pastor, J. B. Rowell, Th.D.
Sunday School and Bible Classes, 9:45
11 A.M.—"With Christ at the Five Inner Portals to Mansoul"
7:30 P.M.—"The Chief Shepherd—Christ the King of Glory"
"Where Young People Love to Come"
Song Service, 7:15 P.M. All Welcome

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Gladstone Avenue at Fernwood
Services—11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.
Sunday School—9:45 A.M.
Pastor, Rev. Dr. A. S. Imrie

CHRIST'S HEALING CENTRE

Speaker: Dr. Estella Kelley
"Inspirational Healing Illumination"
Prayer and Silence
Guest Speaker: MR. A. W. ARNUP
"Our Lord's First Advent"
Dr. Randall-Colyer
"Life's Greatest Healing Agent"
Soloist: Miss Mae Muir
Violin Selections: Miss Betty Mulliner
SUNDAY EVENING, 7:30
CAMPBELL BUILDING, DOUGLAS AT
Listen in to CFCT, "Healing Words," Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 1 o'Clock. Wednesday, 1:30

Victoria Truth Centre

739½ Fort Street
SAMUEL WALKER SLOAN, Speaker
Sunday, 11 A.M.—"Where Is Security?"
Sunday, 11 A.M.—Sunday School.
Sunday, 7:30 P.M.—"Dominion Within."
Tuesday, 8 P.M.—Young People's Society
Wednesday, 8 P.M.—How to Pray.
Friday, 8 P.M.—"Basic Truth."

VICTORIA AND DISTRICT BRITISH-ISRAEL WORLD FEDERATION ASSOCIATION

(Undenominational)
Y.M.C.A., Blanshard Street. TUESDAY, December 11, 8 P.M.
MR. H. L. STERLING on "RESURRECTION"
Headquarters and Bookroom, 645 Pandora Avenue. Phone E 4328

British-Israel, Middleton Guild

MONDAY, DEC. 13, 8 P.M., in CAMPBELL BUILDING, Douglas St.
E. E. RICHARDS Will Speak on
"PROPHECY AND THE END OF THE AGE"
"THE NATIONS APPROACH THE ABYSS"
Bookroom and Lending Library, 640 Fort Street, 10 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH

Cor. Pandora Avenue and Quadra Street—Pastor: Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, B.A., B.D.
11 A.M.—"The Battle of Life" 7:30 P.M.—"Making Our Dreams Come True"
9:45 A.M.—Senior and Intermediate Departments
11 A.M.—Junior, Primary and Beginners' Departments

OAK BAY UNITED CHURCH

SUNDAY SERVICES, DECEMBER 12
11 A.M.—"SOME OF MAN'S GREAT PRIVILEGES"
7:30 P.M.—"EXPERIMENTAL RELIGION"
9:45 A.M.—Junior, Senior and Young People's Departments of the Sunday School
11 A.M.—Beginners' and Primary Departments

FAIRFIELD UNITED CHURCH

Corner Moss and Fairfield
Rev. Norman J. Crees, B.D., S.T.M.
11 A.M.—"HEARTS WAXED FAT" To Children: "Fishing Fish"
7:30 P.M.—"LIFE WORTH LIVING"

EMPIRE MINISTRY

CRYSTAL GARDEN CONCERT HALL
7:30 P.M. REV. S. R. ORR Doors Open 6:30 P.M.
"ARE THE ANGLO-SAXONS ON THE RUN?"
WHAT MIRACLES OF DELIVERANCE ARE PROMISED TO ISRAEL BRITAIN
For Complete List of Questions See Press Story, This Page
Community Sing at 7:15 Bible Class, Hotel Douglas, at 11 A.M.

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BUTTER Hudsonia First Grade, lb. 34c 3 lbs. $1.00	PEAS Aylmer, No. 5, 17-oz. tins 3 for 25c
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SALMON Todd's Tiger Brand, ½'s 2 tins 23c	TOMATOES Libby's, Size 2½ tin 10c
STRAWBERRY JAM Aylmer, 4-lb. tins 47c	CHEESE Kraft and Velveeta, ½-lb. packets 16c
SOUPS Clark's, Vegetable and Tomato, tin 7c	BACON Side sliced, 1-lb. packets 29c
PINEAPPLE Norris, sliced 2 tins 19c	WALNUTS Light amber, new season's, per lb. 25c

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9 TO 10 A.M. SPECIALS

Brisket Beef, lb. 7¢ | Shoulders Pork, lb. 14¢ | Rump Roasts, lb 16¢

Rolled Ribs, lb. 15¢ | Round Bone Roasts, per lb. 12¢ | Wing Roasts, lb 19¢
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Cheese, genuine matured, lb. 32¢
Butter, Fraser Valley, first grade, per lb. 36¢
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Ripe Bananas, 3 lbs. for 27¢

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Sunkist Navel Oranges, 3 doz. $1.00
Fancy McIntosh Red Apples, 4 lbs. for 23¢
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Iceberg Lettuce, each 9¢

Celery, each 9¢ and 15¢
Choice Brussels Sprouts, 2 lbs. 15¢
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Foil Berried Holly, 2-lb. box for 50¢

CANDY SPECIALS
Hard Mixture, per lb. 17¢
3 lbs. for 50¢
Chocolate-Covered Dates, lb. 29¢
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Lowney's Plentiful Assorted Chocolates, 2-lb. box. Special 79¢

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Christmas Puddings, made in our own kitchen, each 35¢ to 85¢
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Freshly-Made Almond Paste, per lb. 40¢

Aylmer Kentucky Wonder Cut Green Beans, 17-oz. tins, 3 for 31¢
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Prunes, delicious flavor, 40-50's, 2 lbs. for 23¢
Crystallized Ginger, new season's, per lb. 13¢
Aylmer Pitted Damson Jam, 4-lb. tin for 37¢
Tiger Salmon, ½'s, 2 tins for 25¢
1's, per tin 21¢
Libby's Pineapple Juice, 2 tins 23¢
Libby's Cooked Spaghetti, 1's, 2 tins for 19¢
Roman Meal, per packet 33¢
Salt, Plain or Iodized, 2 pkts. 13¢

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Sirloin Roasts, per lb. 25¢
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Rolled Rib Pot Roasts, per lb. 16¢
Loins Lamb, per lb. 24¢
Wing Roasts, per lb. 22¢
Local Kippers, 2 lbs. for 25¢

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Rev. Father Anselm Wood to Mark Tuesday Twenty-Five Years as Priest

REV. FATHER A. B. WOOD

Rev. Father Anselm B. W. Wood, pastor of the Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace, will celebrate on Tuesday next the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. He was ordained in the chapel of the Albertinum, a college of the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, on December 15, 1912, by the late Most Rev. Andrew Bovet, then Bishop of Lausanne and Geneva.

Father Wood, who was born in England, came to Canada from the Old Country in December, 1914, arriving in Victoria in March, 1915, after a short lecture tour in the United States. He was appointed assistant at St. Andrew's Cathedral, serving at the same time the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes in Oak Bay and the mission at Port Alberni. In 1917 he went overseas as a Canadian chaplain and served in France. In 1921 he was appointed rector of St. Andrew's Cathedral.

In 1925, Father Wood was appointed pastor of St. Joseph's Church, Esquimalt, with the mission of St. Mary's, Victoria West. In order to simplify the service in this district, and to supply the spiritual needs of the parishioners more effectively, he undertook to replace the two small churches with one more spacious structure in a more central position. This resulted in the erection of the present Church of Our Lady Queen of Peace on Old Esquimalt Road, which was built as a memorial to those who died for this country.

The jubilee celebrations for Father Wood include a Solemn High Mass sung by the jubilarian in the Queen of Peace Church on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock; a luncheon to the visiting clergy in the Queen of Peace Hall at mid-day, at which the hosts will be the naval and military officers of the parish; a dinner at the Bishop's Palace at 6 o'clock, when Father Wood will be honored by his brother clergy; and a public reception in the Queen of Peace Hall in the evening, when a presentation will be made on behalf of the parish.

CARIBOO DAYS ARE RECALLED

Louis LeBourdais, M.P.P., Tells Rotary Club of Famous District

Stories reminiscent of the early days in the Cariboo, and the advancement of methods of transportation, were told to members of the Rotary Club by Louis LeBourdais, member in the Provincial House for that well-known district, at their luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel, Thursday.

Mining has been going on in the Cariboo for seventy-eight years, Mr. LeBourdais said, and it was the rush of men from all over the world to the Interior gold centre that helped build the city of Victoria. Prospectors from California numbered 30,000, he continued, laying the foundation for Barkerville's claim to the largest population west of Chicago, with the exception of San Francisco.

From panning and the use of sluice boxes, gold mining finally evolved into the hydraulic stage, Mr. LeBourdais explained. The latter method is still being worked successfully in the Cariboo at the present time.

TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS

Transportation problems and the high cost of supplies were deterrent factors in the success of prospectors of the early days. Pack teams took a whole Summer to make the trip from Yale to Barkerville and return, the speaker stated, whereas the journey from one town to the other could be made in a single day now, he observed.

Mr. LeBourdais was introduced by C. H. French.

James H. Beatty gave a brief talk on the Vancouver ice carnival, sponsored by the Rotary Club there, which he witnessed this week. The sum of $10,000 was raised for charity through this undertaking, he said, and Victoria should do all in its power to support an ice forum here for the benefit of businessmen in general and in aiding charitable causes.

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Duro Aluminum, oval $1.39, $1.75 and $2.50
Wear-Ever Aluminum, No. 321, for $5.10
Wear-Ever Aluminum, No. 323, for $5.55
Wear-Ever Aluminum, No. 326, for $6.85

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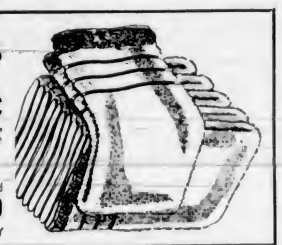

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Carpets, Third Floor at THE BAY

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2 ONLY—Studio Couches, with 3 cushion back, convertible into twin or double bed size 29.50

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CHEATS HANGMAN BY COMMITTING SUICIDE

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 10 (AP).—Triple Killer Douglas Van Vlack, of Tacoma, broke his third date with death on the Idaho Prison gallows by committing suicide a few feet from where he was to be hanged early yesterday. He died at 12:35 a.m. His execution was set for 12:10 a.m.

Meeting the minister in the village, the plump woman accosted him peevishly.

"You said in a sermon six months ago that constant dripping wears away a stone," she reproached him.

"But so it does," replied the minister in surprise.

"Well," continued the woman, "I've eaten it at every meal since, and instead of losing a stone I've gained one!"

Splendid Cough Remedy Easily Mixed at Home

It's So Easy! Makes a Big Saving. No Cooking.

To get quick relief from a distressing cough, mix your own remedy at home. Once tried, you'll say it's your favorite cough medicine, and it's so simple and easy.

First, make a syrup by stirring 2 cups granulated sugar and one cup of water a few moments, until dissolved. A child could do it. No cooking needed.

Then get 2½ ounces of Pinex from any druggist. This is a compound containing Norway Pine in concentrated form, well known for its prompt action on throat membranes.

Put the Pinex into a 16 ounce bottle, and add your syrup. Thus you make 16 ounces of very efficient remedy, and you get four times as much cough medicine for your money. It tastes fine and never spoils.

And for quick, blessed relief, it is splendid. You can feel it penetrating the air passages in a way that means business. It loosens the phlegm, soothes the irritated membranes, and eases the soreness. Thus it makes breathing easy, and lets you get restful sleep.

Just try it, and if not pleased, your money will be refunded.

Little Stories for Bedtime

Queerest Kind of Partners

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Chatterer the Red Squirrel looked at Tommy Tit the Chickadee as if he suspected that Tommy was making fun of him. Tommy had just asked Chatterer if he knew Farmer Brown's boy and he were partners. Of course, Chatterer hadn't known anything of the kind. He made up his mind that Tommy Tit was joking, though he couldn't quite see what the joke was. The idea of any of the little forest and meadow people having Farmer Brown's boy for a partner! And yet, somehow, Tommy looked as if he really meant it.

"You're very clever, Tommy Tit,
As clever as can be,
But when you ask me this to believe,
You ask too mush of me."

Chatterer said this in the pert way he has, and Tommy Tit laughed. "You don't believe it, but just the same it is so. Farmer Brown's boy knows it and I know it, and we don't care a snap whether you or anybody else believes it or not," he replied. "Now I must get busy and do my share. Dee, dee, dee, chickadee!" With that Tommy Tit flew over to the next apple tree and began to search one twig after another with his sharp, twinkling black eyes. Every second or two he would spy a teeny, weeny egg, so small that you and I would probably not have seen one of them. As fast as he found them he snapped them up. It didn't seem as if they were big enough for anyone to eat, but you know Tommy Tit is a very little fellow himself, and he found those teeny, weeny eggs very good indeed.

Chatterer watched him for a long time, and all the time he was studying and studying over what Tommy had said. "Pooh!" said he at last, "he's doing nothing but eat and eat, and I'd like to know what that's got to do with Farmer Brown's boy."

"Do you see that lump over on that tree?" he asked

Tommy Tit just happened to be flying past on his way to another tree just then and he overheard Chatterer.

"It's got everything to do with him," said he, stopping just long enough to open and gobble up a little package of teeny, weeny eggs he had overlooked when he was in that tree before. "You see, all Summer long Farmer Brown's boy has to fight the worms that eat the leaves and spoil the apples. Now, all those worms come from teeny, weeny eggs hidden under the rough bark and fastened on the little twigs, and the more I find and eat the fewer worms there will be to bother Farmer Brown's boy. Now do you see?"

"No, I don't," replied Chatterer shortly. "Partners usually do something for each other, and so far as I can see you are doing something for Farmer Brown's boy and he is doing nothing for you. That's no kind of a partner to have."

"Oh, you stupid!" exclaimed Tommy Tit impatiently. "If he didn't kill the worms in the Summer they would kill the trees by eating all the leaves, and if the trees were killed what would I do? So I work for myself and for him in the Winter, and he works for himself and for me in the Summer. Besides, he pays me for all I do."

"Pays you!" Chatterer laughed. "Pays you! I wish you'd show me how he pays you."

Tommy's eyes twinkled more than ever. "Do you see that lump of white over on that tree near the edge of the Old Orchard?" he asked.

Chatterer admitted that he did and that he had already planned to run over and find out what it was.

"That's a piece of suet," replied Tommy, "and Farmer Brown's boy put it there for me. You know I am very fond of it, and in bad weather, or when food is scarce, all I have to do is to fly over there and get all I want to eat. Now do you believe that Farmer Brown's Boy is my partner?"

Chatterer was forced to admit that he did.

Next Story: Tommy Tit Accused of Boasting.

the ONLY cough drop
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MATRONS' FELT AND VELVET HATS

Former values to $5.00. Take advantage of this excellent opportunity to purchase a quality hat . . . at this extremely low price. Choose from winetones, brown, navy, black, rust and green. Turbans and brim styles **2.95**

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$1.79 to $4.50. "Something different" in Christmas gifts. Soft, plumply filled cushions . . . made from colorful, gleaming satins and all kapok. Wide assortment in square, oval, round and oblong styles . . . featuring shirring, pleating, moss edging and piping. Select NOW.

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Pert, lovable little stuffed bunnies and doggies, made from real-looking fur fabric, in pink, blue or yellow. Each **19c**

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Unique little celluloid doll figures, with 12 different color crayons enclosed inside. They'll make cute "stocking fillers" **15c**

Holly Pots Christmas Trees

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Attractive table and home decorations for the festive season. Gaily-colored red pots with realistic holly and berries . . . also Christmas trees in green and blue shades.

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BOYS' STURDY BOOTS

Clearance of a broken line . . . black elko uppers with durable Panco soles. Not all sizes . . . but a good range collectively. Pair

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1,000 Pieces Glamorous Silk Satin Lingerie

GOWNS

—in tantalizing colors of Buckingham rose, turquoise blue and nu-rose. Dozens of styles from which to select **2.98** and **3.98**

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Dainty silk satin garments with embroidery or lace trimming . . . "Lastex" waistband. Turquoise, tea rose and white. On sale at ..... **1.00** and **1.59**

DANCE SETS AND TEDDIES

Choice of many delightful styles, including the new combination of georgette and embroidery trimming. Lovely range of colors ..... **1.98** and **2.50**

SLIPS

Full bias cut slips made from lustrous silk satin. Many embroidered tailored and embroidered lace styles. Sizes 32 to 44. On sale at ..... **1.98** and **2.98**

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Two-piece models that will thrill many a feminine heart on Christmas morn. Perfectly tailored garments in silk satin that are "styled to the minute" ..... **3.98** and **4.98**

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To match the gown that you are giving HER. This ensemble idea is new . . . and is SO attractive. A variety of styles from which to make your selection **2.98**

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Ensembles consisting of gown, slip, pantie and brassiere. Lustrous silk satin garments with georgette and embroidery trimming. Per set **7.98**

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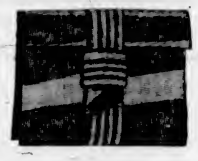
98c

Jewelry, Street Floor at THE BAY



Genuine Leather Handbags 1.59

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Handbags, Street Floor at THE BAY

SALE! Shetland Wool Scarfs

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A reminder! Our advanced season sale of better coats and suits is still in progress . . . and for those who have not yet purchased their Winter outfit this is a great opportunity to save 33 1-3 per cent on a model coat or suit.

Regular $49.50. Reduced to **$33.00**
Regular $59.50. Reduced to **$39.67**
Regular $69.50. Reduced to **46.33**
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AFTERNOON DRESSES

What pleasanter surprise for your wife or mother on Christmas morn . . . than a charming frock! Select a spruce green ticatina crepe with satin braiding . . . or a wine-tone with novelty sleeves. There are also becoming blue . . . and, of course, popular black . . . all in the latest and most flattering styles. Sizes range from 36 to 44 . . . and half sizes for the shorter figure. Be sure to see this attractive selection of dresses **6.95**

Fashion Floor at THE BAY

AN IDEAL GIFT . . . PERFECT Semi-Service Hosiery

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Service-Weight Hose

A "special" of importance for those requiring durable hose. Made from pure silk and doubly reinforced at all wearing points. Irregulars . . . good shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½ ..... **2** pairs **1.30**

Hosiery, Street Floor at THE BAY

TEA COSIES

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Unique gifts . . . and wonderful values! Colorful patterns . . . well stuffed. Glazed chints . . . with quilted stitching effect.

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OF LINEN

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Cleverly designed little opal cloth hankies . . . some plain white . . . others with dainty touches of color. Real value. 3 in box **29c**

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Imported Gloves

THE BAY is ready with novelties . . . plains . . . kids . . . suedes . . . capeskins . . . in an extensive range of desirable styles. Full selection of colors and sizes. Pr. **1.98** and **3.95**

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IF IN DOUBT GIVE A "BAY" GIFT CERTIFICATE

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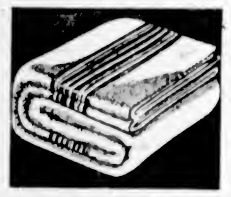
Staples, Street Floor at THE BAY



Drugs and Toiletries

KOTEX—Kronomy carton of 48 pads **87c**
2 for $1.71

KLEENEX—300 Sheets to pkg. **39c**
2 pkgs. for 77c

H B C LIQUID PETROLATUM—32-oz., heavy **59c**

COLGATE'S TOOTH PASTE—Giant size **33c**

HOT WATER BOTTLES—2-Quart size. Guaranteed for 2 years **89c**

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BATH SETS—By Eugene Lambert . . . containing dusting powder and bath salts **69c**

BATH SETS—Contains Eau de Cologne, bath and dusting powder. Attractively boxed **1.19**

DEVON SHAVING BOWLS—Shaving soap in wooden bowl **25c**

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PATRICIA BEAUTY BOX—Face powder, perfume and Eau de Cologne **50c**

WILLIAMS' SETS FOR MEN—Shaving cream, aqua velva, talcum and and tooth paste **60c**

EAU DE COLOGNE—In attractive bottles, individually boxed. A variety of floral perfumes **1.00**

DERNEY'S THREE SECRETS—Gift box, containing face powder and face cream **50c**

GLAZO MANICURE SETS — Full-size Glazo manicure requirements in Bakelite case **69c**

BATH POWDER AND PERFUME—In blue or white novelty box, with large body puff **50c**

Toiletries, Street Floor at THE BAY

TOYLAND

Toys Galore . . . For Girls and Boys

DOLLY PLAY SETS—Consisting of 1 rubber doll . . . 1 hot water bottle . . . face cloth, etc. **95c**

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Toyland, Third Floor at THE BAY

Men's English Shoes

Regular $5.95

Buy a pair NOW and save $1.00. These good-looking quality shoes are made in Northampton, England, by expert shoe craftsmen from English tanned leathers. They make walking a pleasure. Black and brown brogues or smooth calfskin leather. Splendid range of patterns and sizes. Surprise HIM with a pair on Christmas morning. Today only

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Women's Bridge Slippers

Always a popular style with smart women . . . and to cosy and relaxing for the feet. Shown in wine, blue, green, black and patent. Sizes 4 to 8. Pair **1.25**

Women's Juliet Slippers

Just the gift for mother! Wool Felt Juliets, with comfy fur trimming. Flexible soles . . . many delightful colors from which to select. Sizes 4 to 8. Pair **1.25**

Children's Zipper Slippers

Won't these thrill the youngsters. They're neat fitting little slippers, in red or blue leather. Sizes 5 to 2. Pair **1.25**

Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Men's Romeo House Slippers

A gift that always brings smiles of thanks. They're serviceable and comfortable, and come in black or brown. Sizes 6 to 11, per pair **2.49**
Boys' sizes, per pair **2.25**

Men's Shoes, Street Floor at THE BAY

PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR MEN ON YOUR LIST

A Large Assortment of ATTRACTIVE TIES

Every man appreciates ties . . . but more especially when they're the RIGHT ones. You'll have no difficulty in selecting the correct style . . . color or pattern from this vast assortment. Each one is individual in appearance . . . and will please the most fastidious taste **$1**

MEN'S BROADCLOTH PYJAMAS

Made by Forsyth and Warrendale . . . your assurance of quality and serviceability. Give him pyjamas this year . . . you'll find his favorite in this group . . . and at a price that will enable you to choose many. Sizes 36 to 46 ..... **1.95**

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- All-wool tweeds
- Sizes 35 to 46
- Models to suit all types

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For the first 26 fortunate customers . . . here's a grand bargain. Odd sizes taken from our regular stock and priced for clearance. All-wool tweed topcoats and Winter overcoats in medium and dark tones. All sizes in the group. Remember . . . ONLY 26 . . . so be in on the dot of 9 ..... **11.95**

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Purchase these for everyday wear . . . or for practical gifts.

These are all good quality shirts, which are being offered at half price. All fast colors . . . majority with fused collars . . . Ideal shades for work wear. Sizes 14 to 17. Each ..... **79c** 2 for **1.55**

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Fine quality linens . . . closely woven . . . in generous sizes. Plain and initialled. Box of ..... **3 for 1.00**

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That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

CORONARY OCCLUSION

A man of sixty, meeting a physician acquaintance on the street, said to him, "I've got a touch of indigestion—a couple of pork chops, have you anything in your bag that will relieve it?" The physician gave him a couple of tablets and thought no more about it.

Three hours later the patient died of "acute indigestion" apparently. However an autopsy revealed that he had died of coronary heart disease or coronary occlusion (blocking of a blood vessel) as it is called, and his history showed that he had suffered with a number of these attacks of so-called "indigestion."

Dr. Bernard S. Kleinman, in Hygeia, says, "Coronary heart disease is the result of wear and tear on the blood vessels in general and on those of the walls of the heart in particular." In a series of 145 cases at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston it has been shown that many of these patients had been suffering from diabetes or abnormally high blood pressure. It stands to reason that these two conditions should lead to coronary occlusion because the lining of the blood vessels in diabetes and high blood pressure become hardened, clay-like and brittle in patches. If a particle of such brittle patch becomes detached, this particle is carried in the blood stream until it reaches such a point that it cannot proceed any farther and at this point occludes or blocks the circulation of the blood.

The pain of an attack of coronary occlusion, while occuring in the same region as in angina pectoris—spasm—that is under the breast bone and up into left shoulder and arm, is more severe, more prostrating, the patient being cold, clammy and ashen grey, and often bathed in perspiration.

Dr. Kleinman emphasizes the following points.

1. Coronary occlusion is caused by the wear and tear of the blood vessels that nourish the walls of the heart.

2. Diabetics and those with high blood pressure are somewhat predisposed to this disease.

3. It occurs in middle age and during the latter half of life.

4. The symptoms in many cases are not clear-cut, and may be thought to be acute indigestion. An electro-cardiograph examination is necessary for recognition of these doubtful cases.

5. Coronary occlusion is a grave but not a hopeless disease, if the condition is promptly recognized and proper treatment is begun at once.

NEVERMORE!

The landlady of a popular boarding house in the mountains made a point of asking her departing guests to write something in her visitors' book. She was very proud of some of the names of the people inscribed in it, and of the nice things that they wrote.

"But there is one thing I can't understand," she confided to a friend, "and that is what a sour-looking man put in the book after stopping here. People always smile when they read it!"

"What was it?" queried the other.

The landlady replied, "He wrote only the words, 'Quoth the raven'."

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Losses General At Day's Close On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Stocks ran up and down the price scale in today's erratic market and generally finished with losses ranging from fractions to two or more points.

Rails furnished the steam for a midday rally that failed to hold. They were also the first to go into reverse when selling was resumed in the closing hour.

The news of the day had principally to do with the carriers. Touching off the noon upturn were the remarks of President Roosevelt stressing the importance of a quick solution for the roads' financial problems and disclaiming any desire of the administration for Government ownership of transportation facilities.

There was a later slide when the Interstate Commerce Commission announced it had overruled the petition of the carrier systems for an immediate 15 per cent boost in shipping charges.

The Associated Press average on sixty stocks was .5 of a point lower. Transfers totaled 1,075,260 shares.

The bond market was lower today. United States Governments were 1-16 of a point higher to 5-32 lower. Among the foreign, Japanese 6 1-2's lost 1 1-4 at 82, and Rome 6 1-2's dropped 1 3-8 at 62 1-2.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	52 2	51-4	52 2
Allied Chemicals	182 2	180 1	162
Allis Chalmers	46 6	45	45 4
Allied Stores	8 1		8 1
Amer. Can	79 4	76 2	79
Amer. Celanese	15 7	15 3	15 7
Amer. Foreign Power	4 3		4 2
Amer Locomotive	23 4	22 4	22 4
Amer. P & L.	7-5	7 3	7 2
Amer Radiator	13 7	13 4	13 5
Amer Rolling Mills	22 2	21 4	21 4
Amer Smelter	49 6	48 6	49
Amer Tel & Tel.	150	149 4	150
Amer Tobacco	67	85 2	6 6
Amer Waterworks	14 1	13 4	13 8
Anaconda Copper	32-5	31-4	32-1
Atchison Railway	42 8	40 2	40 5
Atlantic Refining	20 5	20-2	20-4
B & O Railway	12 7	12 1	12 2
Baldwin Locomotive	9 2	9 1	9 2
Bendix Aviation	13	12 7	12 7
Bethlehem Steel	57 2	55 2	58
Boeing	27 2	26	26 5
Borden	17 5	17 4	17-4
Borg Warner	27	28 2	28 2
Briggs	25 2	24 4	24 7
Canada Dry	14 4	14 1	14 4
C P R	8 2	8-1	8 2
Caterpillar Tractor	54	52 3	53 2
Case (J I)	96	94	95
Cerro de Pasco	41-4	40-2	41 2
C & O Railway	39 2	38	38 4
Chrysler	58 2	58	58-5
Columbia Gas	9 4	9 3	9 4
Commercial Credit	39	38 6	36-6
Commercial Solvent	6		6
Commonwealth & So	2 1	2	2 1
Congoleum	23 2	23	22 2
Con Edison	25 4	25	25
Cont Can	41-6	41 2	41 2
Cons Oil	9 5	9 3	9 4
Cont. Oil	21-6	21	21
Crown Zellerbach, x-d	11 5	11 2	11 4
Crucible Steel	33-5	22-4	32 5
Curtiss Wright	3 6	3 4	3 4
Curtiss Wright "A"	13-5	13-4	13 4
Deere & Co.	25-4	24 1	25 2
Douglas Aircraft	37-4	36-1	36-6
DuPont	116	115	116 6
Eastman Kodak	168	163-4	165
El. Auto Lite	19-3	18 7	19 1
El. Power & Lite	12-7	12 3	13-6
Fairbanks Morse	29 8	29	29 4
Freeport Texas	23-4	22-4	23-4
General Foods	31-6	20 4	31 2
General Electric	43	42-1	43
General Motors	34 6	24	34 4
Goodyear	21-2	20 6	20-7
Granby Copper	4-2		4-2
Great Northern	26-7	25 5	25-7
Great West Sugar	20 4		29 4
Intl. Harvester	69	67	67-4
Houston Oil	7-4	7-2	7 2
Howe Sound	49 4	48	48
Hudson Motors	7-2	7 1	7 1
Hupmobile Motors	1-6	1 4	1-4
Inspiration Copper	12-1	11 6	11 7
Intl Nickel	43 7	43-1	43-2
Intl. Tel	7 4	7-1	7 3
Ill. Central	12	11-4	11 4
Johns Manville	82-5	81-2	82
Kennecott Copper	27 1	36-3	37
Kresge	16 3	16-1	18-1
L & M Tobacco	87 6	68-4	87 4
Ludium Steel	16	..	16
Loew's	50 4	48 6	48 8
Lorillard	16-6	16 5	16-5
Mack Truck	22	21 6	21-5
Matheson Alkali	25 2	24-3	24-3
Mexican Seaboard	24	22	23
Monsanto Chemical	87 2		87 2
Montgomery Ward	34 6	33-6	34 4
Motor Wheel	12		12
Nash Kelvinator	11 1	10 7	11
National Biscuit	18 2	17 6	17 6
National Dairy	14 7	14 2	14 3
National Distilleries	23	22 2	22 2
National Power & Lite	8 5	8 2	8 3
New York Central	20 3	19 2	19 4
North Amer. Co	21 7	21 5	21 5
North Amer Aviation	7 7	7 5	7-7
North Pacific	13-6	12-6	13-1
Ohio Oil	12 7	12 3	12 2
Owens Ill Glass	68 4	67	67
Pacific Gas & Electric	26 5	26 2	26 2
Packard	5	4-7	5
Paramount Pictures	12	11-5	11-5
Penn Railway	23 4	23	23
People's Gas	37	36 2	36 2
Phillips Pete	40 4	39 5	40 2
Pullman	36 2	35 2	35 2
Pure Oil	11-5	11 2	11-2
Radio	7-	6 7	6 7
Rem Rand, x-d	13 4	13 3	13 3
Republic Iron Steel	18 7	18-2	18 2
Reynold's Tobacco	41 2	41	41
Safeway Stores	21 2		21 2
Schenley	29	28 4	28-4
Sears Roebuck	58 7	57 4	57 4
Sharon Steel, x-d	19		19
Shell Union	16 7	16 6	18 8
Socony Vacuum	15 3	14 7	15 1
Southern Pacific	23 4	22	22 6
Southern Rly	14 6	13 7	14
Sperry Corpn	14 1	13 7	13-7
Standard Brands	6-3		6 3
Standard Gas	5 4		5 4
Standard Oil, Cal	29 4	29 1	29 2
Standard Oil, N J	44 7	44 1	44 2
Stewart Warner	10 2		10-3
St. Paul Rly.	1 1		1 1
Studebaker	5-5	5 4	5 5
Texas Corpn	40 7	39 2	39 5
Texas Gulf	29-4		29 4
Timken	43 4	42 4	42 4
Trans American	11		11
Twentieth Century Fox	21 2		21 2
Underwood Elliott	53	52 4	52 4
Union Carbide	75	73 7	75
Union Oil, Cal.	19 5		19-5
Union Pacific	87 4	86	87
United Aircraft	22 4	21 2	22
United Corpn.	3 7	3 6	3 7
United Fruit	58 4	57	57
United Gas & Imp.	10 7	10-4	10 4
U S Cast Iron Pipe	30	29 4	29 4
U S Indus Alcohol	21 7	21 3	21 3
U S Realty	5 5		5 5
U S Rubber	28	27	27-3
U S Rubber, Pfd.	58	54 4	56
U S Smelting	87	62	82
U S Steel	58 1	58 4	56 7
Vanadium	18 7	16-2	16-2
Warner Bros	7 8	7 4	7 4
Westing Air Brake	25 3		25 3
Westing Electric	109 6	107 2	107 3
Western Union	28 3	25 6	26 3
White Motor	11		11
Woolworth	38 7	28 2	38 6
Youngstown S & T	40 2	39 1	39-7
Zenith Radio	18-2	17 5	18

PRICES DRIFT IN DEVIOUS PATHS

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Prices drifted into conflicting paths in desultory stock market trading late today.

Selling of Consolidated Smelters quickened a trifle near the final bell and the price slipped to 55 3-4, off a point.

Nickel ran counter to the trend, firming 1-2 to 43 1-2. Brazilian finished up 1-2 at 12 3-4; Power Corporation and Gatineau gave ground.

Narrow declines appeared in papers. Canada Cement and Dominion Bridge strengthened fractionally; Steel of Canada, Dominion Steel "B" and United Steel backed slightly.

MONTREAL EXCHANGE
(Fidelity Securities, Ltd.)

	Close
Bathurst P & P	10
Bathurst P & P "B" Com	4
Bell Telephone	185
Bruck Silk	4
Canada Northern Power	15
Canada Steamships	2½
Canada Steamships, Pfd	9
Canada Bronze	34
Canada Car & Foundry, Pfd.	21
Canadian Celanese	18¼
Dominion Coal & Steel	15½
Dominion Glass, Pfd	154
Electrolux	13¼
Charles Gurda	7
Hollinger	12⅝
Imperial Oil	18
Intl. Nickel	43
Intl Pete	29
Massey-Harris	8
Montreal Power	30
Noranda	49½
Ogilvies	28
Sherwin-Williams	15
Curb	
Abitibi	1¼
Abitibi Pfd	19
Asbestos	59¼
Beauharnois	7
B A Oil	21½
Consolidated Paper	6
Price Bros.	15
Royalite	46
Hiram Walkers	40

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—British and foreign exchange closed higher today. Nominal rates for large amounts:

Australia, pound, 3.9930; China, Hongkong dollars, .3126; Denmark, krone, .2233; Germany, Reichsmark, .4034; Holland, florin, .5564; India, rupee, .3776; Japan, yen, .2915; New Zealand, pound, 4.0251; Norway, krone, .2515; Sweden, krona, .2579; Switzerland, franc, .2314.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Quotations in cents.
France — Demand 3.40⅛; cables 3.40⅛.
Italy—Demand 5.26⅛; cables 5.26⅛.
Demand:
Belgium—17.00
Germany — Free 40.31; registered 21.45; travel 25.60.
Holland—55.65.
Norway—25.12.
Sweden—25.77.
Denmark—22.32.
Finland—2.22.
Switzerland—23.13.
Portugal—4.55.
Greece—.92¼.
Poland—18.98.
Czechoslovakia—3.51¼.
Jugoslavia—2.35.
Austria—18.96.
Hungary—19.90.
Rumania—.76.
Argentina—33.35.
Brazil—5.60.
Tokio—29.13.
Shanghai—29.65.
Hongkong—31.27.
Mexico City—27.80.
Montreal—In New York—100.00.
New York—In Montreal—100.00.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Demand 5.00⅛; cables 5.00⅛; sixty-day bills 4.99⅛.

WHEAT FUTURES REMAIN STEADY

WINNIPEG, Dec. 10 (CP).—Wheat futures ended a drab session on Winnipeg Grain Exchange today with values unchanged to 1-2 cent lower.

Absence of export business in Canadian wheat and failure of Chicago to hold early gains accounted for Winnipeg futures easing from the high points, 1 1-2 to 1 3-4 cents above yesterday's close. Final prices today were December, $1.20 1-4; May, $1.15 1-2, and July, $1.11 1-8.

Other world markets closed lower causing a bearish influence in North American wheat pits. Buenos Aires in late trading was 1 1-8 to 1-2 cents down, adding to a loss in the December position yesterday of 2 1-4 cents.

Liverpool ended trading 1 1-2d to 7-8d lower. Sharply increased supplies of new crop Australian wheat bulging stocks in sight to 42,496,000 bushels, double the amount at this time last year, and pressure of Australian wheat were weighty factors. Demand for Canadian wheat was said to be light today.

Southern Hemisphere wheat ships this week were 1,365,000 bushels lower than a week ago. The Argentine movements were 406,000 bushels against 368,000 last week and 1,053,000 bushels a year ago. Australia cleared 1,473,000 bushels, about half the amount moved last week.

Nos. 1 and 2 Northern in the cash wheat section eased 3-4 and 1 3-4 cents, respectively. On a May future basis they were 17 and 13 cents higher, respectively.

Barley closed unchanged to 3-8 higher; oats, 3-4 to 3-8 down; flax, 2 to 1 down, and rye, 1 1-2 down.

WINNIPEG GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
May	115¾	115[illegible]	116	115¼	11[illegible]
July	111[illegible]	112	112⅝	111¼	a111
Dec	120¼	120[illegible]	121⅝	120¼	120¼
Oats—					
May	45[illegible]	47[illegible]	45[illegible]	45[illegible]	45[illegible]
July	43[illegible]	43¼	41[illegible]	42⅞	42⅞
Dec	46⅞	46[illegible]	46[illegible]	48¼	48¼
Rye—					
May	77½	77[illegible]	78	76⅞	a77
July	78½	76[illegible]	77[illegible]	75[illegible]	a7[illegible]
Dec	75⅞	7[illegible]	7[illegible]	75	a75
Barley—					
May	58⅞	58⅞	59[illegible]	58[illegible]	58[illegible]
July	56¼	57[illegible]	57	56⅞	57[illegible]
Dec	59	59	[illegible]	58¼	59

Cash Grain

Wheat—1 Hard, 132[illegible]; 1 Northern, 122[illegible]; 2 Northern, 128[illegible]; 3 Northern, 11[illegible]; No. 4, 102[illegible]; No. 5, 94[illegible]; No. 6, 85[illegible]; Feed, 7[illegible]; Track, 129[illegible]. Amber Durum No. 1, 86[illegible]; No. 2, 83[illegible]; No. 3, 79[illegible]; No. 4, 78[illegible]; Track, 66[illegible]. A R W No. 1, 98[illegible]; No. 2, 96[illegible]; No. 3, 94[illegible]. Garnet No. 1, 115¼; No. 2, 112¼.

Oats—2 C W, 48[illegible]; 3 C W, 43[illegible]; Ex 1 Feed, 43[illegible]; 1 Feed, 41¼; 2 Feed, 38[illegible]; 2 Feed, 36⅞; Track, 48[illegible].

Barley—2 R O W, 59; 8 R O W, 59; 3 C W, [illegible]7; 4 C W, 56; 5 C W, 55; 6 C W, 54; Track, 59.

Rye—1 C W, 74⅞; 2 C W, 74⅞; 3 C W, 71[illegible]; Rejected No. 2, 67[illegible]; 4 C W, 67⅞; Track, 74⅞.

Flax—1 N W C, 16[illegible]; 2 C W, 163; 3 C W, 142; 4 C W, 137; Track, 167.

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P C	Open	High	Low	Close
July	87¼	87[illegible]	87⅝	88[illegible]	88[illegible]
Dec	96[illegible]	95[illegible]	96⅝	95¼	95[illegible]
May	93[illegible]	93¼	93⅞	92⅝	92¼
Corn—					
July	59[illegible]	59[illegible]	59[illegible]	59	59[illegible]
Dec	55[illegible]	55⅞	56[illegible]	55[illegible]	55[illegible]
May	58[illegible]	58	59	58	56[illegible]
Oats—					
July	29¼	29[illegible]	29[illegible]	29¼	29[illegible]
Dec	31[illegible]	31	31	31[illegible]	31[illegible]
May	30⅝	30[illegible]	30[illegible]	30	30[illegible]
Rye—					
July	..	85[illegible]	86[illegible]	85[illegible]	66
Dec	..	88[illegible]	88[illegible]	88[illegible]	66[illegible]
May	..	70[illegible]	70[illegible]	70	70¼

DAIRY PRODUCE

Quotations on egg prices are obtained daily from the Dominion egg inspector, William Haggar, 1002 Wharf Street.

To producer, delivered in Victoria	
Grade "A" large	.23
Grade "A" medium	.21
Grade "A" pullet	.19
Following are the city wholesale:	
Grade "A" large	.28
Grade "A" medium	.26
Grade "A" pullet	.24
BUTTER	
Carton, lb.	.34
Prints, lb.	.33½
Solids, Alberta, lb.	.32½
CHEESE	
British Columbia, large	.20
Ontario mild, large	.20
Ontario medium, large	.21
Ontario aged, large	.27

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PROVINCIAL

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4 .. 1924	52.50	55.00
Alberta 4 .. 1936	52.50	55.00
Alberta 5 .. 1942	55.50	58.00
Alberta 5½ 1947	57.50	59.50
Alberta 6 .. 1947	82.50	8[illegible].50
British Columbia 4 .. 1957	89.00	91.50
British Columbia 4½ 1953	94.00	96.00
British Columbia 5 .. 1959	99.00	102.00
British Columbia 5 .. 1945	101.00	104.00
British Columbia 6 .. 1947	103.00	108.00
Manitoba 4 .. 1957	79.00	83.50
Manitoba 4½ 1980	80.50	84.00
Manitoba 5 .. 1958	89.00	93.00
Manitoba 6 .. 1947	90.50	95.50
New Brunswick 3 .. 1951	88.50	91.00
New Brunswick 3 .. 1958	92.00	94.00
New Brunswick 4½ 1961	102.00	104.00
New Brunswick 5 .. 1954	105.00	108.00
Nova Scotia 3 .. 1958	91.88	93.75
Nova Scotia 3½ 1956	95.00	97.00
Nova Scotia 4½ 1952	106.50	108.00
Nova Scotia [illegible] 1959	114.00	118.50
Ontario 4 .. 1968	105.00	107.50
Ontario [illegible] 1965	111.00	114.00
Ontario [illegible] 1948	113.75	115.25
Ontario 5 .. 1948	115.00	116.75
Ontario 6 .. 1943	114.75	116.50
Prince Ed Island 2½ 1945	95.50	98.70
Quebec 3 .. 1951	95.00	96.50
Quebec 4 .. 1958	107.50	109.50
Quebec 4 .. 1960	108.00	110.50
Saskatchewan 4 .. 1954	61.50	65.50
Saskatchewan 4½ 1951	74.00	77.00
Saskatchewan 5 .. 1958	68.50	72.50
Saskatchewan 5 .. 1952	74.50	78.00
Saskatchewan 6 .. 1952	77.50	81.00
MUNICIPAL		
Montreal 5 .. 1945	103.50	106.50
Quebec 5 .. 1953	103.50	106.00
Toronto 5 .. 1953	114.50	117.50
Vancouver 5 .. 1969	66.50	91.50
Winnipeg 4½ 1980	87.50	90.50

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 4½ 1958	99.75	100.50
Bolivia 7 .. 1958	3.75	4.75
Chile 6 .. 1961	18.50	17.75
French 7 .. 1949	110.00	113.50
German 4½ 1965	24.25	26.00
Italy 7 .. 1951	77.50	79.00
Japan 6½ 1954	81.25	63.75
Norway 6 .. 1944	106.125	107.50
Peru 6 .. 1961	11.625	12.75
Sydney 5 .. 1955	102.50	104.00
Uruguay 6 .. 1960	51.50	53.50

Above prices in New York

London Stocks

LONDON, Dec. 10 (AP).—Absence of support in today's stock market, coupled with the overnight setback in Wall Street, restricted trading. The tone was generally steady at the close, with international issues, British Funds, and domestic rails about unchanged. Rubber shares were neglected, while German bonds sold lower. Iron, steel and copper stocks were inclined to sag.

Brazilian, $12 3-4; C.P.R., $8 1-4; International Nickel, $43 1-2; U.S. Steel, $57 7-8; British American Tobacco, 103s 1 1-2d; Hudson Bay, 25s; Royal Dutch, £38 5-8; Shell T. & T., £4 3-4; Woolworth, 68s 4 1-2d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £74 3-4; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loans, £101 5-8; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £112 1-4.

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Bar gold in London up 2 cents at $34.94 an ounce in Canadian funds, 139s 10d in British funds.

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What is a wife thinking of who waits on her husband hand and foot and coddles him in this ridiculous fashion?—Letter in a weekly paper.

A new fur coat, perhaps.

TORONTO STOCKS LOSE DURING WEEK

TORONTO, Dec. 10 (CP).—Tapering downward throughout the week, stocks showed losses of a half to a point in the indices in today's session. There was a mild rally in the Western oils in the last hour.

Some of the interlisted leaders, including Brazilian, C.P.R. and British American Oil, held narrowly to the up side. The big liquor stocks, Walkers, common, and Distillers-Seagrams, posted losses of 1-2 for Walkers and 1 3-8 for Distillers.

Lower prices were showing at the close for God's Lake, Jellicoe, McKenzie, Paymaster, Preston, Stadacona and Towagmac. O'Brien Gold added 25 cents. Bidgood-Kirkland, Chibougamau, Pickle Crow and Wood-Cadillac added 5 to 8.

International Nickel held its ground, but Smelters, Noranda and Hudson Bay lost 1-4 to 1-2 and Sherritt, Sudbury Basin and Pend Oreille 5 to 8 each. Ventures firmed 10 cents.

In the final rally in the junior oils Calgary-Edmonton, Okalta and Home firmed 4 to 12 cents and Highwood, Calmont and Dalhousie added 2 cents each. Royalite was a little stronger in broken lot trading.

MINING SECTION
(Fidelity Securities, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	.09	.10
Aldermac	.50	.53
Ajax	.26	.30
Bagamac	.17	.19
Bankfield	.60	.63
Base Metals	1.28	1.32
Big Missouri	.34	.37
Bobjo	.10	.11
Bralorne	7.80	8.05
Buffalo Ankerite	11.75	12.00
C & E Corpn	2.72	2.75
Canadian Malartic	.96	1.00
Cariboo	1.83	1.88
Castle Trethaway	.56	.65
Central Patricia	2.40	2.49
Chemical Research	.35	.40
Chibougamau	.30	.31
Coast Copper	2.50	2.90
Coniaurum	1.44	1.53
Dome	49.50	49.75
Falconbridge	5.00	5.25
Eldorado	2.32	2.34
God's Lake	.46	.51
Granada	.05	.08
Gunnar	.76	.84
Hard Rock	.93	1.00
Hollinger	12.75	12.87
Home Oil	1.41	1.45
Howey	.27	.28
Hudson Bay	21.50	22.00
Intl. Nickel	43.00	43.25
Kirkland Lake	1.22	1.25
Lakeshore	48.00	49.00
Leitch	.81	.83
Little Long Lac	4.80	5.00
Macassa	4.80	4.85
McIntyre	36.75	37.25
McKenzie Red Lake	.90	.92
McLeod Cockshutt	1.23	1.25
McVittie Graham	.14	.15
McWatters	.33	.34
Mining Corpn	1.76	1.84
Moneta	2.05	2.10
Morris Kirkland	.17	.19
Nipissing	2.00	2.08
Noranda	49.00	50.00
O'Brien	5.25	5.30
Pamour	3.35	3.40
Parkhill		.10
Paymaster	.50	.52
Pend Oreille	2.00	2.05
Perron Gold	1.14	1.15
Pickle Crow	5.30	5.40
Pioneer	2.95	3.00
Premier	1.90	1.93
Reid Authier	3.35	3.85
Reno	.60	.61
Royalite	45.50	46.50
San Antonio	1.35	1.39
Sherritt-Gordon	1.32	1.35
Siscoe	3.30	3.40
Sladen Malartic	.89	.90
Stadacona	.46	.47
Sudbury Basin	2.90	2.95
Sullivan	1.00	1.02
Sylvanite	2.90	2.99
Teck-Hughes	5.15	5.20
Thompson Cadillac	.40	.41
Toburn	2.10	2.25
[illegible]	.90	.94
Ventures	5.80	6.10
Waite Amulet	1.45	1.50
Wright Hargreaves	7.35	7.40

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Fidelity Securities, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
A-P. Grain	2½	3
B A Oils	22	22¼
B C Power A	33¼	34
B C Power B	5	
Building Products	4¾	
Bell Telephone	165	166
Brazilian Traction	12½	12¾
Brewing Corporation	1.20	1.40
Brewers & Distillers	4⅞	6
Canada Cement	9	9½
Canada Car & Foundry	9½	9¾
Canada Malting	3	6
Canadian Pacific	8	8¼
Cockshutt Plow	8	9
Consolidated Smelters	55	
Consumers Gas	9[illegible]	97
Distillers-Seagrams	15	
Dominion Bridge	29	29¼
Dominion Stores	5	6¼
Ford A	16⅝	17
General Steelwares	9	9¼
Gypsum	6	6¼
Hamilton Bridge	7¼	9
Hiram Walker	40	41
Imperial Oil	18½	18¾
Intl Petroleum	29	29½
Imperial Tobacco	13	13¼
Intl Nickel	43	43½
Industrial Alcohol A	4	5
Industrial Alcohol B	4	4
Intl Utilities A	8	9
Intl Utilities B	.60	1.00
Lake of the Woods	17	17½
Loblaw A	22½	24
Loblaw B	21	22
Montreal Power	20	30¼
McColl-Frontenac	10	11
National Steel Car	20	30½
National Breweries	39½	40
Power Corporation	14	
Shawinigan	19	20
Steel of Canada	64½	65
Steel of Canada, Pfd	56	57
Weston	10½	11
Winnipeg Electric	2⅝	3
Banks		
Bank of Canada	57	58
Canadian Bank of Commerce	165	167
Royal Bank of Canada	182	186

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	164	166
Brazilian T L & P.	12	12¾
B A Oil	21	22¼
B C Power A	33½	34
Canada Cement	8	9¾
Canada Cement, Pfd	93	
Canadian Pacific	8	8¼
Con Mining & Smelting	55	57
Fanny Farmer	21	22
Ford A	18	18¼
Gypsum Lime & Alab.	6	6¼
Imperial Oil	18	18½
Imperial Tobacco	13	13½
International Nickel	43	43¼
International Petroleum	29	29½
Kelvinator of Canada		11¼
McColl-Frontenac	10½	
McColl-Frontenac Pfd	88	89
Montreal Power, Com	30	30½
Shawinigan W & P	18	
Bralorne	7.80	8.00
Dome	49½	49½
Lakeshore	46	49
Macassa	4.75	4.65
Noranda		50
Pioneer Gold	3.00	3.05
Premier	1.93	1.95
Sherritt-Gordon	1.32	1.35
Sudbury Basin	2.95	3.00
Teck Hughes	5.10	
Ventures	5.80	6.00
Wright-Hargreaves	7.40	
Bank of Montreal	195½	
Royal Bank	181	

DIVIDEND DECLARED

British Columbia Power Corporation, Limited regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-2 per cent payable January 3, 1938, to shareholders of record December 20, 1937.

Leading Oils Up With Metal Prices Down on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP).—Leading oils closed a few cents higher on Vancouver Stock Exchange today, while gold and base metals prices were lower. Trading was confined chiefly to the oil section, and transactions totaled 206,050 shares. Okalta oil was moderately active and advanced 10 cents at 1.50, while Madison, with a large turnover, firmed a fraction at 7 1-2. Royalite gained 75 at $45.50, Calgary & Edmonton 4 at 2.69, and A.P. Consolidated 2 at 29. Commonwealth added 1 1-2 at 37 1-2, Model 2 at 40, and other leading issues were unchanged to fractionally higher.

Pioneer gold dropped 10 cents at 2.90 in fair trading, Reno 3 at 58, and Minto 1-2 at 3 1-4. Big Missouri was off 1 at 35 and Premier at 1.90, Sheep Creek at 90 and Cariboo Gold Quartz at 1.65 held unchanged. Bralorne gained 15 at 7.90.

Lucky Jim set the trading pace in the base metals with a turnover of 42,000 shares and closed fractionally higher at 3. Pend Oreille declined 7 at 1.95 and Reeves-Macdonald 3 at 37. Remaining white metals were mostly unchanged.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Boorman Investment Co., Ltd.)

Mines	Bid	Asked
B C Nickel	.06¼	.10
Big Missouri	.35	.38
Bralorne	7.90	8.00
Bluebird	.00¼	
Cariboo Gold	1.65	1.66
Conarese	.02¼	
Dentonia	.10¼	.11
Dunwell	.05	
Fairview Amalgamated	.04¼	.05¼
Federal Gold	.01¼	.02
George Enterprise	.02¼	.03
George Copper	.25	
Georgia River	.01	.01½
Golconda	.05	
Gold Belt	.25	.30
Gold Mountain	.01¼	.02
Grull Wihksne	.08	
Home Gold	.01	.01¼
Indian	.01¼	
Island Mountain	.70	.75
Kootenay Belle		1.00
Kootenay Florence	.01	
Lakeview		.01½
Lucky Jim	.03	.03¼
McGillivary Creek	.19	
Meridian	.03¼	
Minto	.03¼	.03½
Nicola	.05	.07
Noble Five	.03½	.04
Pend Oreille	1.95	2.00
Pilot Gold	.02	
Pioneer	2.90	3.00
Porter Idaho	.03½	.04
Premier	1.90	1.96
Premier Border	.01½	.01½
Quatsino Copper	.02	.04½
Quesnelle Quartz	.05½	.08½
Reeves Macdonald		.42
Relief Arlington	.14½	.17
Reno	.58	.60
Reward	.06	.06½
Rufus Argenta	.01½	
Ruth Hope		.01½
Sally		.09
Salmon Gold	.06	.08
Sheep Creek	.90	.93
Silbak Premier	2.05	2.20
Sunloch	.11	
Vidette	.15	.17
Viking	.01	.01½
Waverley	.00¾	.01
Wellington	.02	.03
Wesko	.06	.10
Whitewater	.05½	.06½
Ymir Yankee Girl	.21	.21¾
Oils		
Anglo-Canadian	1.70	1.60
Associated	.06	
Amalgamated	.07	.08¼
Anaconda	.09½	.10¼
Baltac	.05	.05
British Dominion	.15	
C & E Corpn.	2.69	2.75
Calmont	.51	.53
Commonwealth	.37½	.39
Crow's Nest	.03½	.04
Dalhousie		.76
Davies Pete.	.42	.45
Eastcrest	.13	.15
Freehold	.06¼	.06½
Firestone Pete.	.19	
Hargal	.30	.36
Highwood Sarcee	.15½	
Home Oil	1.37	1.40
Lowery Pete	.20	.25
Madison	.07½	.08
Mar Jon	.10¼	.11
Mercury	.17	.18
McDougall Segur	.22¼	.23¾
McLeod	.18	
Mill City	.11	.14
Model	.40	
Monarch	.20	.21½
Nordon		.15
Okalta	1.50	1.52
Pacalta	.11	
Royalite	45.50	46.00
United Oil	.19	.20
Vanalta	.08½	
Vulcan	1.15	1.22
Westflank	.39	.40
Industrials		
Capital Estates	3.15	3.50
Coast Breweries	12.80	12.95
United Distillers	.97	

WHAT'S DOING ON THE LOCAL RETAIL PRODUCE MARKET

A car of oranges is expected to arrive here today. An increase of 25 cents a case has been announced on the smaller-sized fruit. The lemon market is gradually decreasing.

Shipments of California beans and tangarines, sweet potatoes, artichokes and Washington pears were received on wholesale row yesterday.

There are a few seedless and Malaga grapes on the market, but dealers are using Emperor grapes to fill Christmas orders.

A mixed car of Okanagan apples came in yesterday. Winter Banana, Wagner and Delicious varieties were included in the consignment.

Large Eastern Kippers, lb	.20
Local Kippers, 2 lbs	.25
Fresh Cod	.15
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint	.25
Salt Cod	.25
Digby Chix, box	.20
Haddies, lb	.20 to .25
Boneless Herring	.30
Smoked Cod	.20 and .25
Haddie Fillets	.25
Fresh Smelts	.25
Local Bloaters, 2 lbs	.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb	.25
Poultry	
Chicken, per lb	.35
Ducks, per lb	.25
Heavy Fowl, per lb.	.29
Light Fowl, per lb	.25
Retail Beef	
Prime Rib Beef	.20 to .25
Loin Roast	.30
Pot Roast	.18 to .18
T Bone Steak	.35
Round Steak	.25
Rump Roast	.22
Boiling Beef	.12
Hamburger Steak	.15
Stew Beef (boneless)	.16
Lamb	
Shoulder	.22
Pork	
Leg	.28
Loins	.30
Shoulder	.18

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer Cyanamide "B"	23⅝	23⅞
Amer Super-Power	1	1¼
Amer. Gas & Electric	29	29¼
Assoc Gas & Electric	1⅝	1¾
Brazilian Traction	12½	12¾
Cities Service	2	2¼
Electric Bond & Share	11	11¼
Ford of Canada A	16⅝	16¾
Ford of England, Ltd.		
Hudson Bay Mining	21¾	22
Humble Oil	62	62¼
Intl Pete	28½	29
Imperial Oil	18	18⅝
Newmont Mining	59	61
Pioneer Gold	2¾	3
Standard Oil of Kentucky	17	17⅝
Amer Aluminum	76	81
United Gas Co	4⅞	5
United Power & Light A	3⅝	2¾
Niagara-Hudson Power	7⅝	8¼
Distillers of England, Ltd.	25⅞	26¼
Carib Syndicate	1	1¼
Gulf Oils	37	37¾
Pantepec Oils	5	5⅛
Canadian Marconi	1¼	1½
Fisk Rubber	8½	7
Creole Petroleum	23	24
Cord Corpn	1⅞	2¼
Lake Shore Mines	48¼	49½
Teck-Hughes	5	5⅛
Hecla Mining	9¼	10
Wright Hargreaves	7⅝	7¾
Segal Lock	1	1¼
Premier Gold	1⅝	2
Louisiana Land Ex	7⅞	8¼

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom of Can	1940	4	[illegible]6.00	106.675
..	1941	5	109.00	110.00
..	1943	5	111.00	112.00
..	1944	4	109.50	110.00
..	1945	4	106.00	106.875
..	1946	4	109.75	110.75
..	1949	3	101.50	102.50
..	1952	4	105.75	106.75
..	1956	4	109.75	110.75
..	1959	4	111.00	111.00
..	1966	3	98.50	97.375
..	1986	3	98.00	99.50
..	Perp	3	86.75	86.00
..	1949	3½	100.375	101.375
..	1951	3½	99.625	100.50
..	1967	3	93.00	94.50
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can Nat Rly	1951	4	113.25	114.25
..	1956	4	113.75	114.75
..	1957	4	113.25	114.25
..	1955	4½	116.00	117.00
July	1969	5	115.75	117.00
Oct	1969	5	116.00	119.25
..	1970	5	116.00	119.25
..	1954	5	116.50	117.50
..	1953	3	96.50	98.00
..	1944	3	100.75	101.75
..	1950	3	96.00	97.00
Grand Trunk	1962	3	94.00	98.25
..	1962	4	105.50	108.00
Can Nor Rly	1958	3	98.00	101.00

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Bid	Asked
B C Telephone 6½ Pfd	107.25	109.25
B C Electric 6 Pfd	109.00	111.00
C P R 3½ 1951	90.50	92.25
C N P 5 1953	102.25	104.00
Calgary Power 5 1960	95.00	97.00
Gatineau Power 5 1956	102.25	104.75
Shawinigan 4½ 1961	98.00	99.75
Montreal Power 3½ 1973	93.75	95.75
Western Power 5½ 1949	104.75	106.75
INDUSTRIALS		
Canada S S 5 1957	72.00	73.75
Canada Cement 4½ 1951	101.75	103.50
Famous Players 4½ 1951	95.00	97.00
McColl-Frontenac 6 1949	103.00	104.50
Massey-Harris 5 1947	94.00	96.00
Simpson's Ltd 4½ 1951	92.50	94.50
GRAIN ISSUES		
Alberta Pacific 6 1948	60.00	70.00
Federal Grain 6 1949	80.00	84.00
United Grain 5 1948	70.00	76.00
United Grain 5½ 1951	75.00	80.00
Western 6 1949	28.00	32.00

Retail Markets

Fruits	
Bananas .. lb 10, dozen	35 to 40
Grapefruit—	
California	7, 5 and 4 for 25
Texas	5 and 4 for 25
Lemons—	
California, dozen	25 to 60
Oranges—	
California Navels, doz	2 for 35 to 60
Australian Valencias, dozen	25 to 50
Seedless Grapes	2 lbs for 25
Emperor Grapes lb 10, and	2 for 25
White Malaga Grapes, per lb	10
Cocoanuts, each	10
Apples—	
Okanagan Macintosh Reds, per lb	05
Fancy Macintosh Reds, doz	40
Local Kings	5 lbs for 25
Okanagan Winter Banana, per lb	05
Okanagan Delicious doz	20 to 40
Okanagan Snows, per lb	03
Cooking	5 lbs for 25
Table	2 lbs for 25
Okanagan Newtowns, 2 lbs for	25
Okanagan Jonathans, 5 lbs for	25
Anjou Pears, per doz	25 to 50
Blueberries, per lb	15
Eastern Cranberries, per lb	25
Western Cranberries, per lb	25
Casaba Melons, lb	07
Pomegranates [illegible] and	10
Cantaloupe [illegible] each	20, 30 and 40
Persimmons, each	05
Vegetables	
Parsley, 2 bunches	15
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, 2 lbs	25
Peppers, green, 2 lbs for	25
Cauliflower, each	10 and 15
Cabbage, lb	05
Local Bunch Carrots, 2 for	05
California Lettuce, head	05 and 10
Washington Lettuce, lb 05, 2 for	15
Local Bunch Beets	05
Local Spinach	5 lbs for 25
Eggplant, lb	15
California Globe Artichokes, each	10
Cabbage, per lb	04
Parsnips, lb	04
Onions, lb	05
Spanish Onions, per lb	06
Turnips, lb	02
Green Onions, per bunch	08
Sweet Potatoes	4 lbs for 25
Local Potatoes	12 lbs for 25
Ashcroft Gems	10 lbs for 25
Fish	
Smoked Red Salmon	35
Sole, 2 lbs	30
Red Salmon, lb	25
Local Cured Black Cod	25

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Butter, spot—Quebec grass regraded, 30 1-4 to 30 1-2.

Eggs, spot—Ontario "A" large, 33a.

Butter futures—Steady and unchanged. December, 30 1-4 to 30 3-8.

MONTREAL SILVER

MONTREAL, Dec. 10 (CP).—Silver futures closed steady today, unchanged to 30 points off. No sales. Bids: December, 42.30; January, 41.50; March, 41.40; May, 41.30; July, 41.00.

BUT HE DIDN'T

Pickpocket (visiting pal in jail): I hired a lawyer for you this morning, Slim, but I had to leave my watch with him as part payment.

Pal: And did he keep it?

Pickpocket: He thinks he did.

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CHAPTER XLIX

There was no sleep for Syrie that night. Her dinner with Robert had been a failure, although she knew he did his best to be kind and to amuse her.

"I can't bear it—I can't bear it much longer," she kept telling herself as she tried her utmost to fall in with his mood and to be friendly.

It would have been different if she had not loved Robert. She was honest enough to admit it was not so much the feeling of guilt that was wearing her down as the effort to keep up a pretence of indifference.

She was sure now that he had no affection for her. If he had, he would never have been able to suggest marriage in such a cool manner. Had she been wrong in her estimate of his character, she wondered, as she looked at him across the dinner table. Was he, in spite of all he had said, just an adventurer determined to stop at nothing as long as he could secure Miss Harwood's fortune?

"Why do I love you?" she asked herself as she met his eyes and smilingly listened to his flippant remarks about the other people in the restaurant.

And then suddenly she saw his face change. Quickly following the direction of his eyes, she saw Joan Baker coming down the room towards them. Robert made no comment, and it was Syrie who said quietly, "Here's Joan."

Joan had seen them now and stopped beside their table. "Hullo, love-bird!" she said gaily. She introduced the man who was escorting her, and when after a little conversation she moved away again, Syrie noticed that Robert's eyes followed her across the room.

"Joan looks pretty tonight," Syrie said.

"Does she?" Robert was absently twisting the stem of his wineglass.

There was a little silence before Syrie asked very directly, "Are you in love with her, Robert?"

He raised his eyes quickly. "If I were I would ask her to marry me."

"I think she would," Syrie said, then added, "Must you be in love with a girl before you ask her to marry you?"

"I imagine so."

Syrie laughed constrainedly. "Don't forget that you asked me to marry you—twice," she said. "So I suppose you must—be in love with me?"

"I don't covet other people's property," Robert answered curtly.

She had been unable to reply to that, but the words haunted her as she lay awake through the long night. Did Robert believe that she and Basil were more than friends? Or had been? And if so, how could he have asked her to marry him? Or hadn't he been serious?

It was all such a hopeless tangle.

"I'll run away," Syrie thought impulsively. "Perhaps he'll be sorry if I run away and leave him to make all the explanations."

Run away? To whom? She forced herself to look ahead to a future when he would no longer be there, either to quarrel with or to love, and it was as if she suddenly saw an empty world.

Robert did not put in an appearance at breakfast time, but he sent a polite message by Tompkins, asking to be excused. She ate her breakfast without much appetite and was dressing to get out, when Tompkins came tapping at her door.

"A gentleman to see you, if you please, ma'am."

"To see me?" Syrie looked at him with startled eyes. "Who is it?" she asked apprehensively.

Tompkins lowered his voice as he answered, "It's Mr Loder, ma'am—Mr. Basil Loder."

The color rose to Syrie's face. "Mr Harwood is out," she said. "Please tell Mr Loder that he is out."

"I told Mr. Loder so, ma'am, and he said that he would like to speak to you. He is in the sitting-room," he added. There was a little silence, then Syrie said in an undertone, "You are sure Mr Harwood is out?"

"Quite sure, ma'am."

"Thank you, and Tompkins—stay in the flat, please——" She was miserably confused. "I should like you to stay in case—in case I want anything."

"Certainly, ma'am."

Syrie picked up her coat and gloves. Basil would see she was going out—she would dismiss him as quickly as possible. What was there to fear? But her heart sank as she met Loder's cool regard. "Robert's out," she said quickly.

"I know—I saw him drive away," he said confidently, and Syrie said, "You wouldn't have dared to come if he had been here."

(To Be Continued)

TANFORAN RACING

TANFORAN, Dec. 10. — Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
The Flower (Adams) $4.20 $2.40 $2.20
Howden (Robertson) 3.20 2.80
Sweeping Flame (Gray) 4.20
Time, 1.14 4-5. Also ran Bonicon, Bonynae, Valina, Bon Hambura.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Betty Farrell (F. Jones) $5.40 $4.20 $3.20
Guaranty (Litzenberger) 8.20 5.40
Jockwell (Robertson) 5.20
Time, 1.15. Also ran Tia True, Full Tilt, Busy Mae, Alta Moon, Physician, Fluent, Hard Boiled, Billie Boas.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Melody Boots (F. Jones) $3.20 $2.80 $2.20
Naseby (Gray) 3.60 2.80
Bonouri (Adams) 2.60
Time, 1.16. Also ran: All Star, Panfull, My Nominee, Spoof, George Renfrue, Rollofol, Stony Brook, Moveaway, Kal Shen.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs
Kumrush (Brammer) $6.80 $4.00 $2.60
Clarcarolle (Rosengarten) 3.20 2.40
Jean Cloud (D. Neal) 2.60
Time, 1.14 3-5. Also ran: Sharp Miss, Carla Mar, Bonamye, Nedrob, Sweet Bernice, Cortella, Charmina Lassy.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter:
Pandan (Brammer) $11.00 $5.40 $3.60
Bon Amour (Rosengarten) 10.60 5.80
Cinar (Wilson) 7.40
Time, 2.09 3-5. Also ran Chief Yeoman, Baltimore Boy, Justa Sheik, Chilnore, Hadlobe.

SIXTH RACE—One mile
Wise Beauty (Gray) $9.60 $4.40 $3.40
Stepahead (Hightshoe) 3.20 2.40
Shasta Racket (Fator) 3.40
Time, 1.40 3-5. Also ran Mickeys Man, Old Maid, Marauder.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Direct (Wilson) $12.80 $6.00 $4.00
Tall Oak (Connell) 8.20 3.80
Rae Marie (Varner) 4.00
Time, 1.52 1-5. Also ran Sky Bright, Aksala, Famaway, Dundreary, Sun Tryst, Black Minnie, Norman O, Peachwood, Bright Knot.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Can [illegible] (Rosengarten) $5.80 $4.00 [illegible]
Basen May (Gribble) 6.40 [illegible]
Judge Lewe (Wilson) 7.20
Time, 1.50 2-5. Also ran Mr. Giles, Teenie R, Wiaan, MacLeod Breeze, Abercrombie, Bebest, Dodloo, Mathieson, Closing Time.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs
Bon Ivy 110
Masked Plane 119
Model Dame [illegible]
Naksaun 114
Buck On [illegible]
Swift Gal [illegible]
Sweet Betty 110
Marrano 109
Zoric Boy [illegible]
Jolano 113
Lon Ilsa [illegible]
Maud Marie 119

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Prince John [illegible]
Rulian Conard 10[illegible]
Fort Chenoe [illegible]
Draco [illegible]
Fatermix [illegible]
Heather 10[illegible]
Over Rose [illegible]
Don Marcus [illegible]
Miss Color [illegible]
Tessa Girl [illegible]
Grand Reina [illegible]
Genial Manners 11[illegible]

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs
Berleda 11[illegible]
Robuan [illegible]
Potoos Pride 11[illegible]
Salve 11[illegible]
Puako 11[illegible]
Rolodo 10[illegible]
Quick Look [illegible]
Benefit 11[illegible]
Brazle [illegible]
Flashbearer 11[illegible]
Marcelline 118
Moonface [illegible]

FOURTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Easter Tommy 11[illegible]
Wise Ace 113
Almaha 113
Red Powder 113
Silver Key 11[illegible]
Deer Fly 113

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards
Zor 109
Broad Walk 103
Mister 104
Crete 111
Sealine 106
Grayback 111

SIXTH RACE—One mile
(h) Amer Bruio 121
Tick On 118
Primitive 108
Marvel 110
Rommy 102
(h) Chance View 118
(h) Advocator 11[illegible]
Kay Saxon 116
(h) Sarzazo 114

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Suspension 107
Printer Circle 111
Miss Ladybug 107
Bulletin Board 109
Easter Parade 114
Supreme Court 111
Caltrop 107
Old Nick 109
Master Book 10[illegible]
Rower W[illegible] 109
Banner Keen [illegible]
Black Miss [illegible]

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth
Seaton 111
Patcheye 110
Liquidation 114
Ozana 100
Scotch Grey 104
Paris Hour 118
Lady Gold 10[illegible]
Storm 114
Fluoridge 107
Scottie Circle 111
Mate Tea 106
Miss Garnier 108

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Canada's Economic Achievements and Prospects Reviewed by Bankers

Confidence in Canada's Capacity for Recovery

BANK OF MONTREAL'S 120th ANNUAL MEETING

Sir Charles Gordon Sees Continuance of Better Times if Dominion Not Unduly Affected by International Disturbances—Points to Strength Reflected in Financial Statement

An impressive record of strength and of expanding business in keeping with the marked improvement of trade and commerce throughout the Dominion during the past year was presented at the 120th annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal held recently in Montreal. The balance sheet showed that for the year ending October 30 assets had increased $24,500,000 to a total of $829,600,000; public deposits $28,000,000 to a total of $681,000,000; current loans in Canada $23,200,000 to a total of $182,500,000, and net profits by $226,827 to a total of $3,408,328; while the readily available assets amount to no less than 79.58% of liabilities to the public.

Sir Charles Gordon, G.B.E., the President, declared that the statement was the strongest that had been presented during the ten years in which he had been president, adding that every contingency had been explored and provided for, with a view to maintaining the position so long held by the institution in the very front rank of the banks of this continent.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS IN CANADA

Passing on to a review of general industry and commerce in the Dominion during the year, the President said that taken on the whole business conditions had been much improved, and were a happy contrast with the conditions of but two years ago, the only really serious setback being in those portions of the Prairie Provinces where drought caused total or partial failure of the crops. "Were Canada as dependent as it formerly was upon the cash returns derived from the export of wheat," he said, "the fact that this year's crop of that commodity falls so far short of the average would be calamitous. As matters stand however, this partial failure of our greatest cash crop is partly offset from the national standpoint by the higher price for this year's crop and by the fact that the general crops in every other part of Canada have been, on the whole, remarkably good. Also, perhaps even more important is the fact that Canada has been demonstrating in the past year a remarkable resiliency in productive enterprise."

As one instance of the latter, he cited the marked increase in the discovery and production of gold in response to the world demand for the metal. Continuing, he said "The rapid progress that is being made in every form of mechanical operation and in the use of all kinds of manufactures of metal, combined with the demands caused by the armament programmes of the larger nations, has centred attention upon Canada as one of the leading producers of the most valuable industrial metals, viz., nickel, zinc, copper, lead and aluminum, and other metals used in steel alloys. Canada's response has been such that with the exception of iron this country is now the world's largest exporter of base metals.

"Then the housing programmes which have been undertaken on an unprecedented scale by nations abroad have found Canada responding by large increases in the export of lumber and other building products such as asbestos and gypsum.

"Similarly, the rise of large-scale industries for the manufacture from pulpwood of a wide variety of new materials, of which at the moment artificial silk is perhaps the most spectacular, has found a response in Canada in the production for export of increasing quantities of high-grade bleached sulphite, the raw material of these new industries. The greatly increased demand for newsprint has been reflected in Canada in the past year in record production and export of that commodity, which for years has been the largest manufactured product in our export trade.

"It is this resiliency in industrial enterprise, so variously expressed, that endows this country with so great a capacity for recuperation.

"Then there is the tourist trade, which provides a highly important stimulus to domestic business."

CANADA'S MANUFACTURES NOW WORTH THREE BILLION

Sir Charles observed that until recently Canada was regarded as a country devoted almost entirely to agriculture. Today agriculture provided 35% of the exports, and other forms of industry the balance. Canada now employed 600,000 people in 30,000 workshops, mills and factories, and the annual value of its manufactured products amounted to more than three billion dollars.

"The needs and the interests of the large portion of our population whose livelihood is directly dependent upon these operations," he said, "must be taken into consideration by those upon whom devolves the administration of the affairs of this country."

EMPLOYMENT CLOSE TO ALL-TIME RECORD

Turning to the employment situation, Sir Charles remarked that the upturn which occurred a year ago had continued at a rapidly accelerating rate. "In fact," he said, "the level of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics wage-earning employment index on October 1st last reached practically the point at which it stood on the same date in 1929. The physical volume of production is also almost up to the 1929 level."

The construction industry all over the country, he said, had shown a considerable measure of recovery this year, but it was still not by any means up to the 1928-1929 level.

Residential construction work had, Sir Charles said, been stimulated both by a greater use of the Dominion Housing Act and by the Home Improvement Plan, which latter with the co-operation of the banks, had done all that was expected to bring about greater activity in hundreds of centres throughout the country and compared most favorably with results obtained in the United States in the same period of time.

GROWING FOREIGN TRADE

Sir Charles observed that the decided betterment in Canadian business during the past year was due to the revival of foreign business, which had been growing by leaps and bounds.

For the first seven months of the present fiscal year, April to October inclusive, the total of this trade amounted to $1,183,000,000, with a favorable balance of $176,000,000. This total of trade showed an increase of $199,000,000 [illegible] with the similar period of 1936.

The latest figures [illegible] he said, indicated that for the calendar year exports and imports would attain a total approaching two billion dollars, of which some $320,000,000, or practically one million dollars for every working day would represent a balance favorable to Canada and necessary to her as a debtor country.

He noted, however, that until the next harvest there would be but comparatively small exports of grain, that export figures for metals would be affected if the present lower prices continued and that in regard to the export of newsprint to the United States the market outlook was not clear.

Commenting on the fact that no less than four-fifths of Canada's trade was with the United Kingdom and the United States, he observed that in the twelve months ended September 30 Canada's trade with the United States was around $395,000,000 greater than her trade with Great Britain due to the fact that Canada buys more largely from the United States. For years trade with the latter country showed a heavy balance unfavorable to this country, thereby greatly complicating exchange difficulties. For the twelve months mentioned, however, the balance, allowing for exports of gold totaling $107,000,000, showed a balance favorable to Canada of about $24,000,000.

The speaker followed with a reference to present disturbed business conditions in the United States and quoted a New York authority to the effect that what the country most needed was a rest from the programme of reform which had been pushed so rapidly in recent years.

SIR CHARLES GORDON, G.B.E.

JACKSON DODDS

CANADA'S LEADERSHIP IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION

Sir Charles observed with satisfaction that while such a large proportion of Canada's trade was with Great Britain and the United States neither our Government nor our businessmen were neglecting opportunities to further trade with other countries.

"Our newsprint producers, for example," he remarked "are building up for themselves a position of importance in a variety of overseas markets and are now steadily exporting their product to over thirty countries. Within the past two years formal trade arrangements have been concluded by the Government with not less than fifteen countries and negotiations are proceeding for similar trade expansion agreements with others.

"Today, Canada claims the distinction of being one of the few countries in the world which employ no trade quotas, no exchange restrictions and no embargoes other than those associated with the traffic in arms. If the remedy for world-wide civil and international strife lies in international economic co-operation, as I believe it does, then Canada, I think it can be said, is doing its full share in leadership along that line."

RAILWAYS AND TAXATION

Reverting to conditions at home, Sir Charles observed that while the year had been one of great improvement in trade and in employment and in the finances of the central government, there were two factors which still drained increasingly large a proportion of the country's national income into unproductive channels.

The first was what he termed the most uneconomic situation which existed in regard to the railways, and the second the heavy and overlapping taxation which burdened every form of business enterprise and which as applied to individuals meant that few people had any surplus funds to invest in new enterprises.

"The return on investment in the Canadian railways," Sir Charles said, "remains entirely inadequate and yet the economic waste resulting from the competitive operation of the nation's two great railway systems has continued unabated. It is to be particularly regretted that the taxpayers of the country should be burdened with unnecessary expenditure for railway losses at a time when general taxation for unemployment relief and other essential Government services is so heavy and economy in public expenditure vitally necessary."

Sir Charles believed, however, that there was accumulating evidence of a more widespread understanding that a sound solution of the railway problem was required to create confidence in the future of Canada.

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Public's Deposits of $681,000,000 Are Not "Fountain Pen Money"

General Managers Discuss Commercial Loans, Business Trends and Public Financing—Wider Distribution of Government Bonds Desirable

Substantial increases in total assets, in deposits, and in commercial loans, were revealed in the financial statement presented at the Bank of Montreal's 120th annual meeting by Jackson Dodds, general manager. Presented also on behalf of his fellow general manager, G. W. Spinney, Mr. Dodds' report showed that the assets of the bank had risen by $24,500,000 to $829,600,000, the highest figure since 1929.

One of the most important features of the statement was the increase shown in current loans in Canada of more than $23,000,000 to $182,500,000. For the year ended September 30, the current loans of all the Banks had increased by $75,500,000. While this increase was welcome, said Mr. Dodds, it was not commensurate with the growth in the volume of business and the improvement in commodity prices.

On the basis of the usual relationship between the trend of loans and volume of business, commodity prices considered, the Banks in September, 1937, he said, should have been able to report commercial loans at about 92 per cent of the total in September, 1929. Actually, the total was only 55 per cent of the 1929 figure.

Pointing out that the ratio of the Bank's investments to deposits was 60 per cent, Mr. Dodds said: "This is much higher than we would like it to be; we would prefer to have a larger proportion of our funds out in loans for productive and business purposes. But it is beyond the power of a commercial bank to increase at will its total of safe loans; the initiative lies with the borrowers. A commercial bank cannot afford to have idle money on its hands beyond the amount required to meet ordinary withdrawals and for cash reserve purposes."

MANY FACTORS IN LOAN SITUATION NOT TEMPORARY

In considering the various factors which had contributed to the reduced demand for banking accommodation, Mr. Dodds said that it must be recognized that many of them are not of a passing nature.

G. W. SPINNEY

"On the other hand," he pointed, "thanks to invention and scientific research, new industries are always coming into being, resulting in new sources of business for the banks.

"One does not need to look back many years to the birth of the automobile and motion picture industries, aeroplane building, radio, rayon and cellophane manufacturing, the providing of homes with electric appliances and artificial refrigeration, and the introduction of air-conditioning—to mention only a few. Yesterday's luxuries are today's necessities and the same will be said tomorrow.

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"This extremely strong position," said Mr. Dodds, "is beyond ordinary needs and reflects the fact that the demand of our customers for loans for commercial purposes is still considerably below normal."

DEPOSITS SHOW INCREASE

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PROFITS SHOW MODERATE INCREASE

The profit and loss account showed net earnings, after deducting Dominion and Provincial taxes, at $3,408,328, as compared with $3,181,501 in 1936—an increase of $226,827.

In commenting on profit, Mr. Dodds pointed out that Dominion and Provincial taxes for the year, without taking into consideration taxes paid to municipalities, amounted to over 27 per cent of the Bank's net profits, or over 32 per cent of the dividend.

TRADE AND COMMERCE

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JAPANESE ANNOUNCE NEWS OF VICTORY

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RISING SUN OVER GATE

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The announcement stated that a detachment of the Ninth Division late Friday fought its way through Kuanghuamen, the southeastern gates, seized the adjoining stretches of the 500-year-old walls and advanced into the streets of Nanking.

There the invaders met desperate resistance; furious fighting continued into the night.

Japanese also announced capture of the Purple Mountain, rising east of Nanking and commanding all land and river approaches on that side. Previously Chinese artillery on this height had blasted furiously at the advancing Japanese columns. Purple Mountain also dominates Nanking.

Chinese denied most of the Japanese claims, declaring that the attacking forces had not yet entered Nanking and that Purple Mountain still was in Chinese hands.

Officer of Capilano Brewing Company

THOMAS DANCER

WHO was recently appointed secretary-treasurer of the Capilano Brewing Company, Limited, who have just put Ace Export Lager on the market. Although he has had twenty-five years' experience in the brewing industry, "Tommy," as he is known to his host of friends, is still a very young man. His affiliations with clubs and societies are extensive, and his many duties have not prevented him from taking an active part in their activities.

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Letters to the Editor

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SAANICH WATER SUPPLY

Sir,—As I write, there lies before me an old map of Saanich Peninsula, showing here and there at many points great black patches of surveyed townsites and laid-out streets, lots and boundaries. There also runs through it two railway systems, the C.N.R. and the B.C. Electric Railway, representing high hopes, the investment of much capital and a dream that was lost. It was ahead of its time, it was out of its turn, its pace was forced by greedy men. But if that dream had been realized (as it will be some day), and a large population was settled there, what would have been the water supply remedy? Necessity has forced the farmers and outer residents of Saanich to invest money and build up their own machinery of well water supply systems, but soon Royal Oak may ask them to scrap those, and subscribe to another of the same, on a larger scale, out of their control, for which a monthly tax will be charged on a compulsory payment basis which may involve the loss of their homes and farms if dues lag too far behind in taxation.

In order better to understand the water situation on this Island, we should consider first the natural courses made in creation for the needs of all life, for Nature's way is always the best way, and there is seldom any need to reverse the order and go against Nature to get good results, even if it works satisfactorily for the time. Reckless destruction of forests and vegetation is a crime against posterity because it affects the people's water supply, and the crime is increased when we allow surface water to flood down into the ocean, unused, and then force the needs of the people to be supplied from the bowels of the earth by artificial means.

There is in the atmosphere above us elements that are placed there for the comfort and healthy well-being of man and beast. These played upon by the sun's rays, and brought down to us by the dews, rains and fogs in liquid form, are Nature's best heritage to mankind, a priceless boon which no other substitute can equal.

As Nature brings down the rainfall and spreads its broadcast over the land, it collects itself in great lakes, rivers and swamps, at the will and behest of man, who may purify and use it as he needs, while the sun pours down into the clear depths further life-giving rays for months in the year. No artesian wells can substitute such water, and even the horse sense of animals will make choice, if they can. Only man will struggle to throw the best away, while he digs deeply for a very poor substitute at great expense to himself.

From this standpoint, I consider the use of artesian wells is turning Nature upside down, by taking Nature's last supply of water instead of Nature's first supply, provided by the rainfall and more suited to the needs of our bodies, which were purposely created to use it.

If Saanich had her own supply, by a system of water dams in the Highland District, she could also use these to give her all the electric power she needed for light, heat and industry for her citizens in the municipality. Instead of buying electric power to give her water, she would use her water to provide electric power.

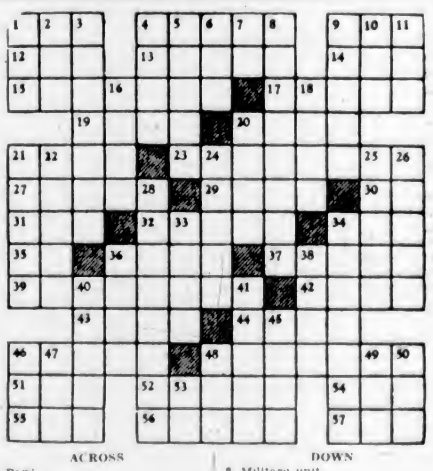
Looking into the future, what kind of country do we expect this to be in fifty years. More and more the people coming from the Prairies increase the problem of work for their children here. We must develop the country to meet that need, and it will be from irrigated land mostly. Most of them come here with bodies sickened by the lifelong use of lye and soda waters from wells there. Will we attract them by establishing the same unsatisfactory system on the Pacific Coast? One of our greatest appeals should be an abundance of clear and fine surface water all the year round.

What is Victoria thinking about that she allows the rumor to spread abroad that we have scarce and dear water here? She is simply counteracting all her expenditure for publicity work by such blind policy.

JAMES MOYES.

Brentwood P.O., December 6, 1937.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Pawl.
4. Cossack
9. Border
12. Girl's name
13. To cheer.
14. Epoch
15. Hopelessness.
17. Bestowed.
19. Cloth measures
20. Small fruit.
21. Ox of Celebes.
23. Treads heavily.
27. Disperses
29. Poems
30. To perform.
31. Cow genus
32. Communion plate
34. Wire measure.
35. Bone
36. Pit.
37. Oar fulcrum
39. Farthest
42. Greek war god
43. Grain (pl.).
44. To merit.
46. Soap plant.
48. Pertaining to sense of touch.
51. Encore.
52. To elevate
54. Modern.
55. Mineral.
56. Mathematical terms
57. Turn right!

DOWN

1. Accomplished.
2. Number.
3. Aeriform.
4. River duck
5. Nautical: inclined
6. Seaman.
7. By
8. Military unit.
9. Gay time.
10. Wrath.
11. British island
16. Real estate map.
18. Demons.
20. To put burden on
21. Bower.
22. Loop
24. Repetitions
25. Roman official
26. Shoe bottoms
28. Sprinkles
33. Bird class
34. Dawn.
36. Fuel.
38. Deer.
40. Antlered animal.
41. To plague.
45. Cards.
46. Finland city
47. Russian village
48. Metal.
49. Shelter
50. Female sheep
53. Sloth

ANSWER TO THURSDAY'S PUZZLE

BRENTWOOD NETTERS SWEEP CITY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Canadian Record Broken at Trials By John Prentice

Toronto Swimmer Erases Dominion Standard for 220-Yard Breast Stroke Distance—Bob Pirie Wins Two Events—Victorians Eliminated —Monica Trump Will Swim Today

CRYSTAL POOL, VANCOUVER, Dec. 10 (CP.)—One Canadian record was cracked and another equaled here tonight as Eastern stars carried off first places in both men's and women's events at the British Empire Games swimming and diving trials.

The new record, first of the trials to choose Canada's team to the games at Sydney, Australia, in February, came in the men's 220-yard breast stroke final, when young Johnny Prentice, of Toronto, made the distance in 2:52. It was six and six-tenths seconds better than the old mark of 2:58.6-10, set by Jack Aubin, of Toronto, three years ago.

Lynda Adams, diminutive Vancouver diver, was declared the new Canadian three-metre diving champion when officials completed compilation of points an hour after the close of the meet.

She dethroned Thelma Bougher, of Toronto.

The Vancouver girl won the diving with 102.6 points. Marie Sharkey, of Calgary, was second with 90.6, and Barbara Richards, of Winnipeg, third with 88.7.

EQUALS RECORD

Gordon Kerr, of Windsor, Ont., equaled his own Canadian record of 1:03 8-10 in the 100-yard backstroke. Jean Marc Demers, of Montreal, was second, with Ed Kline, of Vancouver, third, ahead of W. Bertrand, Winnipeg, and H. McGregor, Regina, who finished fourth and fifth respectively.

Kerr set his previous record mark on December 10, 1936.

Another Toronto girl, Dorothy Hobson, took the 220-yard women's free style, beating out Mary O'Hara, of Vancouver, in 2:44 4-5. Florence Humble, Montreal, and Rush Monk, of Ottawa, finished in a tie for third place, almost four seconds behind the winner.

Bob Pirie, the Toronto free stylist, took the men's 220 and 440-yard free style events but failed to threaten the records he holds in these events.

Pirie did the 220-yard free style in 2:17 and the 440-yard in 5:03 2-5. He was closely followed by Bobby Hooper, of Vancouver, in both events.

Dorothy Lyon, of Toronto, led a field of five in the women's 100-yard free style final. Her time was 1:03 1-5. Phyllis Dewar, of Vancouver, nosed out Florence Humble, of Montreal, for second place.

SUMMARIES

Women's 100-Yard Free Style—First two and fastest third in combined heats to qualify. First heat, 1, Phyllis Dewar, Vancouver; 2, Florence Humble, Montreal; 3, Betty McDonald, Winnipeg; 4, Ruth Monk, Ottawa; 5, Hazel Smith, Victoria; time 1:04.

Men's 220-Yard Free Style—Second heat, 1, Bobby Hooper, Vancouver; 2, H. McGregor, Regina; 3, Archie Byers, Vancouver; 4, Robert Moss, Victoria; time, 2:29 3-5. (Byers and Moss eliminated.)

Women's 100-Yard Free Style—Semi-final heat, winner only to qualify for final. 1, Florence Humble, Montreal; 2, Betty McDonald, Winnipeg; 3, Ethel Gilbert, Winnipeg; 4, Catharine Gordon, Winnipeg; time, 1:04 2-5. (Florence Humble qualifies for final.)

Men's 220-Yard Breast Stroke—Final, 1, J. Prentice, Toronto; 2, G. Clawson, Toronto; 3, A. Thomas, Montreal; time, 2:52.

Men's Backstroke, 100 Yards—First heat, 1, Gordon Kerr, Windsor, Ont.; 2, W. Bertrand, Winnipeg; 3, R. Ellis, Moose Jaw; time, 1:08 4-5. (Don Davidson, Victoria, and R. Ellis, Moose Jaw, eliminated.)

Women's Three-Metre Diving—1, Lynda Adams, Vancouver, 102.6 points (new Canadian champion); 2, Marie Sharkey, Calgary, 90.6 points; 3, Barbara Richards, Winnipeg, 88.7 points; 4, Thelma Boughner, Toronto, 84.4 points; 5, Marjorie Bradshaw, Montreal, 72 points; 6, Audrey Topham, Saskatoon, 68.5 points; 7, Eileen Fitzpatrick, Montreal, 67.1 points.

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Seattle Men To Purchase The Indians

SEATTLE, Dec. 10 (AP.)—Purchase of the Seattle Baseball Club by a group of Seattle men, with the backing of Colonel Jacob Ruppert, of the New York Yankees, was forecast today by The Post-Intelligencer.

The paper said under the plans, Emil Sick, Seattle brewer, would become president and Bill Mulligan, former football official, business manager. Ruppert would aid in player deals.

The paper said the group would post $75,000 and start work on a new ball club immediately upon completion of negotiations.

A stockholder was quoted as saying the deal was practically closed but was being held up by several creditors and one or two property owners.

BUDGE, MAKO DROP MATCH

United States Tennis Pair Beaten by Crawford and McGrath in Doubles

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 10 (AP.)—Jack Crawford and Vivian McGrath, of Australia, today defeated Donald Budge and Gene Mako, of the United States, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4, 7-5, in the men's doubles final of the Victorian tennis tournament.

Budge's shoulder was treated by a physician yesterday. McGrath was the outstanding player.

Adrian Quist and Donald Turnbull, defending titleholders, were eliminated in an early round.

Budge teamed with Dorothy May Bundy, of Santa Monica, Calif., to win the mixed doubles final, 6-3, 3-6, 6-4, from Jack Crawford and Thelma Coyne, of Australia. The Australian team of Mrs. Harry Hopman and Nancy Wynne scored a 7-6, 6-1 victory over Joan Hartigan and Miss Coyne to take the women's doubles title.

BOUNCE AHEAD

Something went wrong with the lift. The control was lost, and down it went full speed towards the bottom. An old lady who didn't understand what had happened, said

"Boy, you didn't stop at the floor I wanted. What are you going to do about it?"

"Have no fear," replied the lift boy; "this thing'll bounce right back."

Braddock-Gould Pay Big Fines; May Face Farr

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP.)—Former heavyweight champion James J. Braddock and his manager, Joe Gould, each paid a fine of $1,000 today to the New York State Athletic Commission for failure to report for the Braddock-Max Schmeling title bout scheduled for last June 3.

This was believed to pave the way for a Madison Square Garden bout January 21 between Braddock and Tommy Farr, of Wales. Promoter Mike Jacobs is expected to bid for Braddock's services as soon as the ex-champion is reinstated by the commission.

MIXED GOLF TOURNEY SET

Competition to Be Held at Gorge Sunday—Draw Is Released

A mixed two-ball foursome competition will be run off at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday morning. Twenty-eight couples have already entered and some keen play is expected before the winning combination is declared.

Draw and starting times follow:

9:00—Mrs. S. Enke and J. D. McNeill vs. Miss V. R. N. Gleason and V. M. Gallon.

9:05—Miss G. Bentley and D. G. Sutherland vs. Mrs. W. H. Liddiard and G. Baird.

9:10—Mrs. C. H. Gross and H. H. Allen vs. Mrs. L. Silburn and G. Petticrew.

9:15—Mrs. R. H. Fort and A. J. Maynard vs. Mrs. D. W. Morry and J. Mathews.

9:20—Miss I. Whitaker and Mike Ott vs. Miss L. Newnham and W. H. Liddiard.

9:25 — Miss A. Balnave and W. Marshall vs. Mrs. A. Creffield and E. Holt.

9:30—Miss M. Hill and C. F. Banfield vs. Miss A. J. K. Caddens and B. T. Hill.

9:35—Miss C. L. Harris and R. Peden vs. Miss F. Hill and Captain R. H. Fort.

9:40—Miss E. Smith and D. R. Hurdle vs. Mrs. J. B. Attree and J. Walton.

9:45 — Mrs. A. Swan and R. T. Brindle vs. Miss A. Field and J. P. Phillips.

9:50—Mrs. H. H. Allen and W. E. Cook vs. Miss D. Hartley and H. Price.

9:55—Mrs. H. P. Hodges and R. Foulis vs. Mrs. D. R. Hurdle and J. J. Bartlett.

10:00—Miss A. L. Dougan and E. D. Freeman vs. Miss K. Elston and G. H. Cross.

10:05—Mrs. G. H. Sedger and E. Brachat vs. A. N. Other and Major J. G. Smith.

NEW ORLEANS RACING

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 10.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Hoeu (Perkins) 15.80 13.20 12.00
The Rew (Martinez) 5.00 3.20
Chanting (Meloche) 2.60
Time, 1:12. Also ran: Grey Squaw, Funderburg, Skippy McGee, Medius Dies, Sir Ten, Princess Stone, Guinea Doge, Maiden Dream.

SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs:
Golden Pate (Craig) 19.20 14.00 13.20
Inscona (Snider) 2.20 2.40
Sun Dora (Molena) 2.40
Time, 1:08. Also ran: Nugreeable, Clasp, Between Bells, Double Nugget, Red Magic, Sis Alice, Redley, Good Aim, Pot Au Mint.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Rebecca Lee (Driscoll) 127.40 41.20 16.40
Erb (Richard) 4.80 2.40
Broadway Girl (Craig) 6.00
Time, 1:14 4-5. Also ran: Surprise Box, Equanimity, My Goodness, Charwitch, Cheer Star, Telling You, Santa Marita, Southern Miss, Aurangzeb.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Predricks R. (West) 18.40 14.00 13.20
Waka (Morris) 3.40 2.80
Trooperette (Nodarse) 6.40
Time, 1:47 3-5. Also ran: Gold Kiln, Hands Down, Speed Along, Kai Pan, Prince Alex, Jim Cornell, Mr. Schott, Mr. Rickey, Turf Sting.

FIFTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Sleep Along (Richard) 18.40 14.00 13.20
Gilistening (C. W. Smith) 19.40 8.80
Dame Grundy (Perkins) 4.00
Time, 1:46 2-5. Also ran: Dunley, Tiempo, Linnie Kate, Hot Cake, Ladino, Bay Boy, Captain Logan, Club Soda.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Swamp Angel (Molena) 16.40 13.80 13.00
Zinkali (Nodarse) 6.00 3.80
Hardware (West) 4.60
Time, 1:45 4-5. Also ran: High Flag, Chauvenet, Satrapal, Captain Jinks, Frank C., Swap.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Brown Molasses (Morgan) 33.80 10.40 16.80
Bree Beaten (Ward) 5.80 4.00
Bold General (Carter) 3.40
Time, 1:49 4-5. Also ran: Veil Star, Gabe J., Hearty, Bob, Kuvera, Snicken, Barcardi Sweep, Irish Play, Kibitzer.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Pompeys Squaw 106
Wise Duke 98
Pore 111
Bright Land 109
Gallienne 104
Lady Federal 104
Boiaw Lady 98
Bartering Kate 108
My Colin 102
Alma Mae 104
Veeka 106
Moisson 110

SECOND RACE—Mile and seventy yards:
Sazonal 110
Bonnie Pal 106
Oxford Lad 112
Good Memory 111
Persuader 110
Good Cheer 105
Pelwyn 102
Reckless 102
Topway 101
Sparrolus 104
Palydesia 102

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Uncle Mitch 107
Attaquneche 112
Sweepnagan 109
Genesis 112
Leros 107
Rif 107
Margaret Nadi 102
Tapeatenine 112
Blind Star 112
Terrier 107
Sugar Jar 112
Sound 107
Unlace 107
Thistle Jock 107
Wax 112
Edri 104
War Claw 107
Hich Polish 106

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
My Lawyer 111
Pedant 104
Gold Satin 104
Doug Brashear 104
Wee Call 104
William Palmer 107
Woodsaw 117
(A) Dolly Val 104
Imperial Scout 109
(A) Radio Charm 114

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Good Omen 102
(B) Reaping 110
(C) Pokeaway 107
Wise Player 116
Leading Article 123
Seventh Heaven 102
Sandstone 108
Winning Chance 102
Silverette 109
Visibility 108
Boston Mary 102
(D) Bachelor Dinner 112
(D) Eastport 105
(B) Miss Dolphin 102
(C) Odd Blue 103

SIXTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Trouper 97
Whipowid 105
Prince Torch 108
(E) Rough Diamond 103
(F) Combahee 98
Dead Calm 100
(G) Moisson 99
(E) Chance Ray 112
Wise Player 118
(G) Wayward 117
Boston Mary 102
Janeen 102
Dinner 107
Buster Boy 102
Hope Eternal 114
(F) Woodlander 92
Zevson 113
Grant Killer 108

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter:
Dr. McLarney 100
Highman 100
David W. 109
Gold Spray 97
Chehalis 100
The Break 100
Rock Rim 100
Ace of Spades 108
Dutch Uncle 107
Morsel 103
Idle Money 98
Rusted Fine 104
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Manly 104
Babso 100
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Foreman (to small son of workman who has met with an accident): When will your father be fit for work again?

Boy: Can't say for certain, but it will be a long time.

Foreman: Oh, what makes you think that?

Boy: 'Cause compensation has set in.

Today's Sport Programme

FOOTBALL

Juvenile League—Under Sixteen

10:30—Maple Leafs vs. Bluebirds, Royal Athletic Park; referee, E. Borde.

Under Fifteen

10:30—Victoria Athletic Club vs. Oak Bay Rovers, Hampton Road; referee, A. Gilliam.

Under Fourteen

10:30—Esquimalt Meat Market vs. St. Louis College, Bullen Park; referee, F. Wells.

10:30—Burnside vs. Oak Bay Ramblers, Central Park; referee, J. Cosier.

Merchants' League

2:00—Mount Tolmie vs. Hill's Corner, Beacon Hill; referee, P. J. Woodley.

Intermediate League

2:30—Navy vs. Liberals, Admirals Road; referee, McMillan.

2:30—Camerons vs. Bapcos, Victoria West Park; referee, Borde.

2:30—James Island vs. Cooperage, James Island; referee, Cull.

First Division

2:30—Victoria West vs. Garrison, Royal Athletic Park; referee, Swan.

2:30—Saanich Thistles vs. Victoria City, Heywood Avenue; referee, Robb.

RUGBY

Intermediate League

2:45—Victoria College vs. Canadian Scottish, Victoria High School ground; referee, Lieut.-Commander Wurtele.

2:45—Oak Bay Wanderers vs. Navy, Oak Bay Park; referee, K. Symons.

Senior "B" League

2:45—Canadian Scottish vs. Garrison, Macdonald Park, lower ground; referee, Swetnam.

Senior "A" League

2:45—J.B.A.A. vs. Oak Bay Wanderers, Macdonald Park, upper ground; referee, Burns.

BASKETBALL (Victoria High School)

8:00—Rambers vs. St. Louis College Alumni.

9:00—K. of C. (Seattle) vs. Dominoes (Victoria).

Successful in Life-Saving Tests

—Photograph by Carey & McAllister.

Pictured above are students of the Oak Bay High School who were successful in the recent Royal Life-Saving Society tests, held recently at the Crystal Garden, for the society's bronze medallions. W. T. Stanyon and A. L. Bagshawe were the examiners, while D. E. Smith, of the teaching staff at the Oak Bay High School, was the instructor. Those in the picture are: Back row, left to right, Edward Green, Walter Blandy, John Depew and Frank Dodwell. Centre row, left to right, A. L. Bagshawe, Jean Beckwith, Jean Murray, Phyllis Pritchard, Sylvia Grist, Eleanor Kinghorn, Margaret Junget and D. H. Hartness, principal Oak Bay High School. Kneeling: D. E. Smith, Mary Walls, Barbara Hill, Betty Albion, Thelma Wait, Pat Boyd and W. T. Stanyon. Stephen Bailey and Harry Doe are seen in the extreme front of the picture.

Rex Carey Scores Easy Victory Over Toronto Contender

Victoria Middleweight Smashes Out One-Sided Win Over George Pignoli at Canadian Boxing Trials—Bobby Parker Is Defeated

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10. — Rex Carey, husky Victoria middleweight, pounded out a decision over George Pignoli, of Toronto, tonight at the Canadian boxing and wrestling trials.

Carey drove in continually with both hands swinging to the head and body and had the Ontario champion down for a three count in the first, and staggered him twice before the end of the fight.

Pignoli was driven to the ropes four times in the first after his knockdown as Carey thuinped lefts to the stomach and rights to the side of the head.

Carey staggered Pignoli again in the second with a terrific right to the body, but the Toronto fighter came back to count with right and left hands to the head.

Carey set his Eastern opponent back on his heels in the third three times with ripping lefts to the stomach, followed each time with a bruising right to the side of the jaw.

The decision of the three judges was unanimous in awarding the decision to Carey, British Columbia middleweight champion.

PARKER BEATEN

Bill Barrie, of Montreal, and Bobby Parker, Victoria, staged a three-round slugfest, with the slim Easterner winning the decision. After settling the pace in the first round, Barrie was slowed up in the second by thumping rights and lefts to the head and body. He outslugged the Victorian in the third to make the judges' nod unanimous.

Eric Whitehead, of Victoria, pinned E. Manuel, of Vancouver, to the mat for victory in the only featherweight bout scheduled.

Both boys mauled each other for just under four minutes before Whitehead dumped his opponent and pinned him.

Anderson scored a first-round fall over Jack Walkem, Vancouver, in 2:29 in his first bout, then won the decision in two rounds against Rudy Loeffler, of Victoria.

The Victorian earlier downed Alf Clark, of Vancouver, in 4:37 for his opening bout victory.

Lightweight wrestling, 145 pounds: Morgan Plumb, Toronto, defeated Pete Tyson, Victoria, fall (8:41).

ODDS FAVOR SCHMELING

German Boxer Is 5 to 1 Choice to Defeat Thomas On Monday

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 (AP.)—Apparently mindful of past occasions when the limb broke under them, boxing writers of Manhattan hedged today on the outcome of Max Schmeling's Monday night mix-up with Harry Thomas.

On Broadway the odds favored Schmeling at 5 to 1 over the fist-flinging brakeman from Minnesota, but the word has gone around that these are a trifle too fat and likely will be boiled down before fight time.

Thus the fight men concede Thomas the outside chance to win that they failed to give Tommy Farr, the walloping Welshman who made Joe Louis look bad in fifteen rounds last September.

It has become fashionable to be non-committal on Monday night's fight, or side with Schmeiling and talk brightly on Thomas and the husky punch the "Minnesota Mallet" has displayed in training.

"My memory is not so short that I forget the case of Thomas Marmaduke Farr, the Tonypandy toughie," says Dan Parker, of The Daily Mirror. "He stayed the limit with Louis because he had plenty of courage and was a 'spoiler.' I get the same reports on Thomas."

Schmeling is thirty-two. He trained faithfully. But he has not fought since he kayoed Louis eighteen months ago on an occasion when the writing men predicted Schmeling faced annihilation by the Brown Bomber.

Dominoes' Rookie Plays Tonight

STAN JACKSON

RAPIDLY-improving rookie of Dave Nicol's Victoria Dominoes, who will be firing them against the visiting Knights of Columbus cagers from Seattle tonight at the High School gymnasium in another inter-city basketball clash. Jackson, brought up from the Sons of Canada team of last season, is the youngest member of the Dominoes, and has shown a great improvement since joining the former Dominion champions. In this evening's preliminary, which starts at 8 o'clock, St. Louis College Alumni faces the Ramblers, Dominoes' farm club.

MISS THOMPSON AND JIMMY WATT SCORE SHUTTLE TRIUMPHS

Young Suburban Badminton Player Is Successful In City Finals at Willows—Muriel and Phyllis Sluggett Retain Women's Crown After a Thrilling Match—Prizes Presented

Brentwood's young band of racquet wielders, expertly coached by the veteran Drennan Hincks, practically made a grand slam in the annual city badminton championships which concluded yesterday evening at the Willows Club courts. They won all of the titles with the exception of the handicap and the veterans' doubles, in one of the most outstanding club performances in this city in many a day.

While it would perhaps be unfair to select any individual stars from this array of badminton talent, the performance of curly-haired Jimmy Watt, sixteen-year-old Brentwood player, was one of the highlights of a great tournament. Watt won the men's singles, boys' singles and shared the men's doubles crown with Drennan Hincks, in a history-making performance, that of being the first city champion to gain the laurels at such a young age.

RETAINS CROWN

Joyce Thomson, attractive young Brentwood miss, retained her women's singles crown and won the mixed doubles title with Drennan Hincks. It was Miss Thomson's third successive triumph as women's singles titleholder.

Muriel and Phyllis Sluggett, Brentwood's sister duo of nimble-footed and smooth-stroking badminton stars, took the women's doubles title for the second successive season, while Muriel and George Sluggett, sister and brother combination, lifted the mixed handicap doubles honors. Miss Phyllis Sluggett and Miss Barbara Atkins brought Brentwood their first championship of the evening when they stroked their way to victory in the women's handicap doubles.

Laura Thomson, young Brentwood star, was crowned girls' singles champion when she defeated Barbara Atkins, a clubmate, in straight sets.

Lieut.-Commander J. C. I. Edwards and R. G. Wilkins, Victoria Garrison Badminton Club team, won the men's handicap doubles, while H. B. Witter and A. G. Harris retained their veterans' doubles title won two years ago.

EVENING'S THRILLER

The thriller of the evening's play was the second set of the women's open doubles between Muriel and Phyllis Sluggett and Joyce Thomson and Barbara Garrard. The four Brentwood players battled through one of the greatest exhibitions of the shuttle game seen here for some time, and the long rallies, fine placements and remarkable sets had the fans on edge all of the way. The Sluggett sisters took the first set 15-3, and the second and deciding set, 18-17.

Young Jimmy Watt played a smart game against Don Davis, Willows Club, in the men's singles, and finally won in a three-set match. Watt took the first set 15-12, but Davis rallied and won the second set 15-7. In the final game the Brentwood star established an 11-4 lead and finished the set and the match with a 15-9 score.

Displaying an assortment of shots that forced Peggy Macdonald into a number of errors, Joyce Thomson, Brentwood's auburn-haired queen of the courts, stroked her way to 11-7, 11-2 victories in the final of the women's singles.

Drennan Hincks and Jimmy Watt, tutor and pupil combination, had too many shots for Don Fish and Frank Tyrrell, Victoria pair, and won the men's doubles final in fairly easy fashion. The scores were 15-4, 15-7.

Joyce Thomson and Drennan Hincks turned in a smooth exhibition against Mrs. Young and George Lane, defending champions, in the mixed doubles, and won the crown in straight sets, 15-11, 15-12.

OTHER RESULTS

Other results follow:

Men's Handicap Doubles

J. C. I. Edwards and R. G. Wilkins (Garrison) won from J. White and A. Slocomb (Y.M.C.A.), 15-12, 15-14.

Women's Handicap Doubles

Misses P. Sluggett and B. Atkins (Brentwood) won from Misses B. Garrard and B. Beaumont (Brentwood), 15-0, 15-11.

Mixed Handicap Doubles

Miss M. Sluggett and G. Sluggett (Brentwood) won from Miss B. Atkins and R. Knott (Brentwood), 15-10, 15-9.

Veterans' Doubles

H. B. Witter and A. G. Harris won from J. C. MacDonald and G. W. Izard, 15-9, 15-8.

Girls' Singles

L. Thomson (Brentwood) won from B. Atkins (Brentwood), 11-8, 11-6.

Mrs. H. B. Witter, wife of the president, presented the prizes. Prior to the presentations President Witter expressed the thanks of the Willows Badminton Club, sponsors of the tournament, to all those who had helped to make the event a success.

GRASS HOCKEY PRACTICE

The usual mixed practice for members of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club will be held this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock at the Norfolk House School ground. The women's match against Duncan has been canceled.

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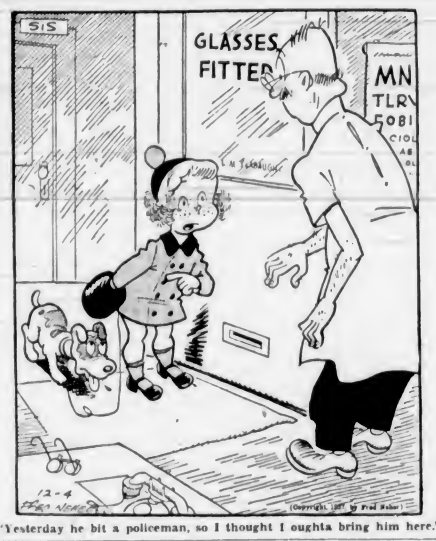

"Yesterday he bit a policeman, so I thought I oughta bring him here."

GRASSICK NEW GOLF CAPTAIN

Elected to Position at Annual Meeting of Nanaimo Club This Week

NANAIMO, Dec. 10.—John Grassick was elected to the captaincy of the Nanaimo Golf Club, succeeding Percy Cowan, at a well-attended meeting of playing members of the club. C. J. Boyle was again made vice-captain and secretary of the match and handicap committee, which is composed of W. Hoggan and H. P. McCarthy. R. Burton was the unanimous choice for the vacancy on the greens committee.

In making his annual report, the captain drew attention to the fact that but one trophy for which the club had competed had been won by the local shotmakers.

H. McCarthy, S. Dyde, W. Vater and E. S. Edola were each presented with two spoons for winning monthly medal competitions, and H. Murphy, C. B. Hayne, E. Robinson and R. McVicar each received one.

Soccer Chatter

BY C. V. MILTON

One of our super-teams has lost its proud record and is beginning to know how it feels like to end up a game on the wrong side of the score sheet. Funny how it often happens that one of the lowliest clubs in competition brings about the downfall of a hitherto unbeaten outfit, and once the job is started the others join in and show that they, too, can do the impossible.

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Of course, when we think of Spencers, we have to admit that one classy player like Bell is quite capable of raising a team from the mediocre to the useful. This is done not alone by personal performance, but even more so by the moral spirit that a team gets by association with such a man. Another case in point was Esquimalt, who, last season, practically lived on Louis DeCosta.

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Of course, when such a player is lost to a team, there is a gap made that cannot be filled for some time, and such teams usually take several weeks, or even months, to recover. Again, witness Esquimalt, who are only just beginning to find their feet after the loss of DeCosta and others. On this basis we shall expect the remainder of the local Saturday League to be much more evenly fought.

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For although the Wests still have plenty of star players, there is no doubt that from 70 to 80 per cent of their driving power came from Bell and Morgan, one of whom is now lost to them. The United, too, will suffer, for, although they have performed very creditably without Bell, it must be conceded that our two wing men, Bell and Payne, have been the making of our forward line in the past few seasons.

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Of last Saturday's game for the Freddy Price Cup, it would be charity to say nothing. It seemed a pity that for such a poor show three clubs should have had to lie idle. Fine Saturdays may at any time become rare, one club must have been off now for three weeks, and lay-offs are not calculated to enthuse players nor to improve the calibre of the game. Time was when a cup tie was a money maker for the clubs playing, but surely not today.

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I mean that if a couple of teams had been playing at Esquimalt it is doubtful if they would have robbed the gate at the Athletic Park by much, if at all. The fans deserve better treatment than that they must watch a couple of teams in whom they have not over much confidence. Such a wretchedly inefficient display of forward work as was given on Saturday would be hard to equal.

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Yet, in patches, both teams showed flashes of cleverness. This only served to emphasize the fact that innumerable miskicks, misplaced passes, badly judged blockings and poor positioning, are the result of attempting to play a game without practice, and, rather than be bored stiff by such things, the fans will naturally seek other forms of amusement for Saturday afternoons.

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The remedy is in the hands of the authorities. Organize useful training sessions, avoid lay-offs except for, say, cup finals, and get some of the older men to jump in and coach some of the youngsters who are still very green. By the way, the brightest spot of all is that each team is using so many of these young players that good soccer is on the way.

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Many may not agree, but I picked Moody and Cosier as the two best players on the field on Saturday afternoon. Both teams must be congratulated for playing one of the cleanest cup-ties ever witnessed in Victoria.

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When the Old Country team comes over in the Summer, shall we let Vancouver swipe both the British Columbia games?

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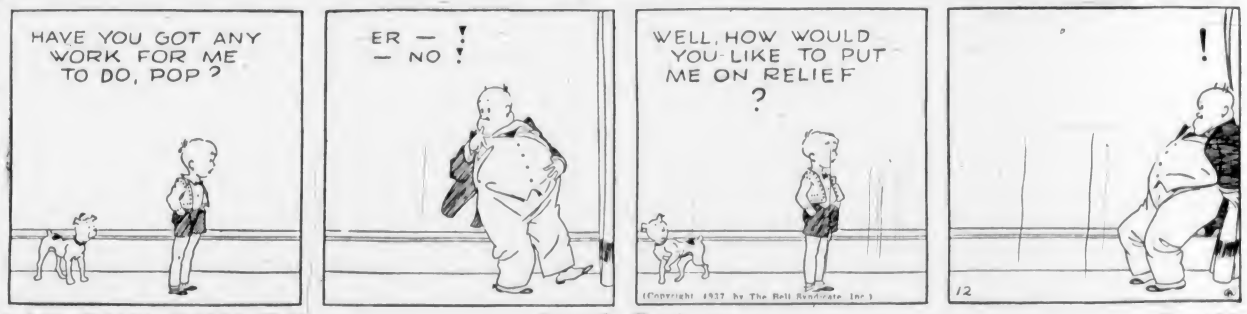

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2 DEATHS

KEMP—At the home of her daughter, at 2226 Bowker Avenue, at an early hour on Thursday morning, Janet Kemp, aged eighty years, wife of James Kemp, of 2043 Milton Avenue, Oak Bay. The late Mrs. Kemp was born in Perthshire, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-six years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, her daughter, Mrs. Peter Smart, of 2226 Bowker Avenue, and a son, Peter Kemp, of Nanaimo, also two sisters, Mrs. William Eddie, of this city, and a sister in Australia, and ten grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

REDHEAD—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Thursday morning, December 9, Sarah Ann Redhead, aged sixty-eight years, wife of Robert Redhead, of 629 Canteen Road, Esquimalt. The late Mrs. Redhead was born in England, and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-six years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, two daughters, Mrs. R. Morris, of Blue Sky, Alta., and Mrs. J. Davies, of Plymouth, England, and three sons, George, Harry and Thomas, all at home.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home at 3 o'clock. Rev. Robert Connell, assisted by Rev. Arthur Bischlager, will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

HOPKINS—At the family residence, 318 Moss Street, there passed peacefully away, Friday evening, after a lengthy illness, James F. Hopkins, in his eighty-seventh year. The late Mr. Hopkins was born in Oxford County, Ontario, and for a number of years was superintendent of dairying for the Dominion Government, in the Maritime Provinces. In 1901 he moved to Moose Jaw, and became mayor of that city in 1912. Upon his retirement in 1915 he moved to this city. The late Mr. Hopkins was always prominently identified in church, welfare and community work in this and other cities and was a valued member of both the Metropolitan and Fairfield United Churches. He was a member of the Beacon Hill Bowling Club and his passing will be keenly felt by a very wide circle of sympathizing friends. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Paul Green, Moss Street. A son, Dr. B. A. Hopkins, New Westminster, predeceased him in January, 1933. He leaves also one brother, J. W. Hopkins, of Brownsville, Ontario, and a granddaughter, Miss Betty Hopkins, of New Westminster, and nieces and nephews in various parts of Canada and the United States.

The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later. (It is specially requested that no flowers be sent.)

WILLARD—Mrs. May Willard, aged forty-seven, wife of Edward Richard Willard, passed away at her home on Wilson Road, Sidney. She is mourned by, besides her husband, a daughter, Marjorie Elaine; four sisters, Mrs. H. Jackson and Mrs. G. Veitch, of Seattle, and Mrs. F. Goodrich and Mrs. Dorothy Webster, of Vancouver, and a brother, Mr. R. Brown, of Montana.

The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home, where a private funeral service will be held, followed by cremation. (No flowers, by special request.)

BANNERMAN—On December 9, 1937, at his residence, 1823 Chambers Street, Alexander McLellan Bannerman, in his eightieth year, born in Chesley, Ontario, and had been living in this city for fifty years. He is survived by his widow, Fannie Louise Bannerman, one daughter, Miss Irene Bannerman, one son, Percy D. Bannerman, and a grandson, James McLellan Hurst.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and the funeral will be held this afternoon, the cortege leaving the chapel at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Barnabas' Church, where services will be conducted by Rev. N. E. Smith at 2:15. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

2 DEATHS (Continued)

WEST—In this city, on Thursday, December 9, Miss Frances West, aged ninety years, of 2107 Sayward Avenue. The late Miss West was born in the County of Wellington, Ontario, and had been a resident of this city for the last fifteen years. She is mourned by a brother, Robert West, of Mission City, B.C., and several nephews and nieces in British Columbia.

The funeral will take place this morning at 11 o'clock, at McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Rev. James Hood will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in the family plot in Colwood Burial Park. (Vancouver papers please copy.)

SHONG—The funeral of the late Wong Shong, who passed away in this city on December 6, will be held this (Saturday) morning, at 10 o'clock, from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home. Interment will be made in the Chinese Cemetery.

McBRIDE—At the Vancouver General Hospital, on December 10, 1937, Lady Margaret McBride, widow of Sir Richard McBride, former Premier of British Columbia, born in Ripley, Ontario. She leaves to mourn her loss, six daughters, Mrs. Marshall Beck and Mrs. MacGregor Macintosh, of Vancouver, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Maurice Carmichael and Mrs. Basil Hood, of Victoria, and Mrs. Bruce Forbes, of Port Alberni.

The remains will arrive in Victoria this morning and be conveyed to Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The funeral will be held on Monday, the cortege leaving the chapel at 2:20 p.m., proceeding to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, where services will be conducted by Rev. Harry Lennox, of Kerrisdale Presbyterian Church, Vancouver. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

PAUL—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on December 10, 1937, Edward Burnell Paul, of 1663 Oak Bay Avenue, in his eighty-eighth year, born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and a resident of this city for the past forty-seven years. Survived by his widow, at home, one son, A. S. Paul, and one daughter, Mrs. N. H. Lord, both of Victoria.

The funeral will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, on Monday, at 2:30 p.m., under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2, A.F. and A.M. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns will officiate. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

8:45 a.m.—The local J.B.A.A. four who will compete in the British Empire Games at Sydney, Australia, will receive a salute from the Vancouver Rowing Club with Stanley Thomas at the "mike." CBR.

10:55 a.m. — Vina Bovy, Belgian soprano, and Nino Martini, tenor, will sing the leading roles in Verdi's "La Traviata," under the direction of Ettore Panizza. KJR, KGO.

4:00 p.m.—Maxine Sullivan, negro singer, whose interpretations of Scottish songs has won her high acclaim, will be guest star of the "Saturday Night Swing Session." KVI, KSL.

7:00 p.m.—A programme in which symphonic embodiments of comedy and drama are contrasted with a symphony in the modern mode has been selected by Artur Rodzinski for the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra. KJR, KGO, KOMO, KFI, KPO.

7:00 p.m.—Everett Marshall, singing star of the Metropolitan Opera and musical comedy, will be the guest star of "Your Hit Parade" with Harry Salter's orchestra. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

11:00 p.m. — Fletcher Henderson and his orchestra will entertain late-hour dance music listeners from Los Angeles. KJR.

TOMORROW

10:30 a.m. — Lowell Thomas and his team of spelling experts will oppose nine intellectuals led by George Bye in Paul Wing's Spelling Bee broadcast. KJR.

11:00 a.m. — Lauritz Melchior, tenor, will be starred with Frank Black and the Magic Key orchestra. KJR, KGO.

12:00 noon—Concert excerpts from six of the great music dramas of Richard Wagner will form the programme of the New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra, directed by John Barbirolli. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

2:00 p.m. — "My Hero," popular Oscar Strauss selection, will be featured by Marion Talley on her programme with Josef Koestner's orchestra. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

2:00 p.m.—Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and Andrea Leads, film stars, will be featured on the broadcast of the "Silver Theatre." KIRO, KVI, CBR.

4:00 p.m. — Edmund Lowe and Glenda Farrell, cinema actors, will appear on Feg Murray's "Seein' Stars in Hollywood," with Ozzie Nelson's orchestra. KJR, KGO.

4:00 p.m. — Joseph Bentonelli, operatic tenor, will appear with Nadine Connor on the "Open House" programme. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

6:00 p.m.—Galliano Masini, leading tenor from Milan, will be introduced to the radio audience on the Sunday Evening Hour broadcast. KIRO, KVI, KSL.

6:00 p.m. — Tyrone Power, with Ann Dvorak as guest star, will present a radio dramatization of "Never See Snow Again" on the Hollywood Playhouse feature. KJR, KGO.

6:30 p.m.—"Friendly Music" will be heard with Frances James, soprano; Samuel Hersenhoren, violinist; William Morton, tenor, and Geoffrey Waddington's orchestra. CBR.

8:15 p.m.—The telephone switchboard of a luxury hotel in Christmas week, with the tenseat of dramas enacted over the wires, is the locale for the "I Want a Divorce," drama. KOMO, KFI, KPO.

Saturday's Programme

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change)

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys.)
7:30 a.m.—Wake Up and Sing.
8:00 a.m.—Tunesk Topics.
8:15 a.m.—News Varieties.
8:30 a.m.—Musical Chronometer.
9:00 a.m.—Notes and News.
9:30 a.m.—Financial Flashes.
9:45 a.m.—Song Memories.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Monitor.
10:15 a.m.—Mid-Morning Interlude.
10:30 a.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
11:00 a.m.—News of the Air.
12:00 noon—Concert Hour.
12:30 p.m.—Noon Flashes.
12:45 p.m.—Afternoon Musicale.
1:25 p.m.—World Bookman.
1:30 p.m.—Friendly Hour.
4:45 p.m.—Dance Music.
5:00 p.m.—Evening Monitor.
5:30 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6:00 p.m.—Featuring Art Farey.
6:15 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner.
6:45 p.m.—Sportatorial.
7:00 p.m.—Super Dance.
8:00 p.m.—Rhythmic Moods.
8:30 p.m.—Saturday Symphony.
9:00 p.m.—Radio Reporter.
9:15 p.m.—Organ Reveries.
9:30 p.m.—Haymakers.
11:00 p.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
12:00 m.n.—Midnight DX Frolic.

CJOR, Vancouver (600 Kcys.)
9:00 a.m.—News.
6:30 a.m.—Sid Mullett.
6:45 a.m.—Cookie Kids.
8:15 a.m.—J. S. Miller, For Shut-Ins.
9:30 a.m.—McKee's Programme.
10:00 a.m.—Stock Reports.
11:00 a.m.—Frank Skinner.
11:15 a.m.—Sue's Notebook.
12:30 p.m.—News Flashes.
1:00 p.m.—Ranch Boys.
1:15 p.m.—Moments with Composers.
3:00 p.m.—Symphony Hour.
4:00 p.m.—Home Folks.
4:30 p.m.—Church in the Wildwood.
6:00 p.m.—Concert Hall.
6:45 p.m.—Vancouver Public Library.
7:00 p.m.—To be announced.
7:30 p.m.—Skipper Sean's the News.
7:45 p.m.—Basketball.
10:30 p.m.—News.
10:45 p.m.—Sandy de Santis.
11:15 p.m.—News Roundup.
11:45 p.m.—Slumber Time.

CBR, Vancouver (1,100 Kcys.)
6:00 a.m.—Breakfast Hour.
9:00 a.m.—See C.B.C. Network, except:
12:40 p.m.—U.B.C. Farm Talk.
2:00 p.m.—Up the Band.

C.B.C. NETWORK
9:00 a.m.—Boy and Girl Friend.
9:15 a.m.—Ernest Colton, songs.
9:30 a.m.—Eddie Batitle's Orchestra.
10:00 a.m.—Pomona Colleges Glee Club.
10:30 a.m.—Club Matinee.
11:00 a.m.—London Calling.
1:30 p.m.—Cecil Lavallette.
1:30 p.m.—Concert Trio.
1:45 p.m.—Curley, the Yodeling Cowboy.
2:15 p.m.—Orrin Williams' Orchestra.
3:30 p.m.—Doris Foote, contralto.
3:45 p.m.—Closing Stock Quotations.
4:00 p.m.—Marek Weber's Orchestra.
4:30 p.m.—Weekly Song Sheet.
4:00 p.m.—Saturday Night Swing Club.
4:30 p.m.—Hook Review.
4:45 p.m.—Dance Music, C. D. Crerar.
5:00 p.m.—Opening of Radio Station CBF.
6:00 p.m.—Ice Hockey Broadcast.
7:30 p.m.—Wayne King's Orchestra.
7:45 p.m.—News and Weather.
8:00 p.m.—Northern Messenger.
9:00 p.m.—On Parade.
9:30 p.m.—Glenn Miller's Orchestra.
9:45 p.m.—Joe De Courcy's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Talk by Earle Kelly.
10:15 p.m.—News and Weather.
10:30 p.m.—Mart Kenney's Orchestra.

N.B.C.-KPO RED NETWORK
KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO
8:00 a.m.—Florence Hale's Column.
9:15 a.m.—Ford Rush and Silent Slim.
9:30 a.m.—Half Past Eleven.
6:45 a.m.—Jerry Brannon, tenor.
9:00 a.m.—Hi Boys.
9:15 a.m.—Carlile and London, piano duo.
9:30 a.m.—Rex Battle's Ensemble.
10:00 a.m.—Don Bestor's Orchestra.
10:30 a.m.—Campus Capers, orchestra.
11:00 a.m.—Your Host Is Buffalo.
11:30 a.m.—Bill Krenz and His Orchestra.
12:00 noon—Concert Miniature.
12:30 p.m.—Week End Review, orchestra, vocalists.
1:00 p.m.—Lane Thompson's Orchestra.
3:00 p.m.—Walter Kelsey and His Orch.
3:00 p.m.—Top Hatters.
3:30 p.m.—Kaltenmeyer's Kindergarten.
3:00 p.m.—Fletcher's Spanish Revue.
3:30 p.m.—Press-Radio News.
3:35 p.m.—Strolling Bonester, cowboy.
3:45 p.m.—Relaxing in the News.
4:00 p.m.—William Scotti's Orchestra.
4:30 p.m.—Tex O'Rourke and the Boys.
4:45 p.m.—Jean Sablon, songs.
5:00 p.m.—Louis Armstrong's Orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Music and Youth.
8:00 p.m.—Al Roth and orchestra.
6:30 p.m.—Special Delivery, drama.
7:00 p.m.—N.B.C. Symphony.
8:30 p.m.—Al Donahue's Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Believe It or Not.
8:30 p.m.—Jack Cabin Show.
10:00 p.m.—Harry Lewis' Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Jack Winston's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Archie Lovelands' Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Louis Armstrong's Orchestra.

N.B.C. KGO BLUE NETWORK
KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KOA
8:00 a.m.—Sandre Baker, songs.
8:15 a.m.—Minute Man, male quartette.
8:30 a.m.—Our Barn.
9:00 a.m.—Curtis Youth, speakers.
9:15 a.m.—Bailey Axton, tenor.
10:30 a.m.—Club Matinee, Ransom Sherman, M.C.
10:55 a.m.—Grand Opera, "La Traviata."
1:45 p.m.—Cadets Quartette.
2:00 p.m.—Rakov's Orchestra.
2:30 p.m.—Music and American Youth.
4:00 p.m.—Message of Israel.
4:30 p.m.—Ricardo and His Caballeros.
5:00 p.m.—Harry Lewis' Orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Talk by Linton Wells.
5:45 p.m.—Nola Day, songs.
6:00 p.m.—Organ Consert.
6:15 p.m.—The Three Pals.
6:30 p.m.—Josef Hornik's Orchestra.
7:00 p.m.—N.B.C. Symphony, director, Artur Rodzinski.
8:00 p.m.—National Barn Dance.
9:00 p.m.—Eddie Rosers' Orchestra.
9:30 p.m.—Joe Reichman's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Freddie Nassi's Orchestra.
10:30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Paul Carson, organist.

COLUMBIA NETWORK
KVI-KIRO-KFPY-KOIN KNX-KSL
9:00 a.m.—The Capitvators.
9:30 a.m.—George Hall and His Orchestra.
10:00 a.m.—Orientale.
10:15 a.m.—Jimmy Shields, tenor.
10:30 a.m.—Buffalo Presents.
11:00 a.m.—Madison Ensemble.
11:15 a.m.—Ann Leaf at the Organ.
11:45 a.m.—Tours in Tone.
12:00 noon—To be announced.
12:30 p.m.—Waltzes of the World.
12:45 p.m.—Dictators.
1:45 p.m.—Frank Dailey's Orchestra.
2:15 p.m.—George Olsen's Orchestra.
3:45 p.m.—Coolidge Birling Quartette.
3:25 p.m.—Press-Radio News.
3:30 p.m.—Marshall Grant (KIRO).
3:45 p.m.—Syncopation Piece.
4:00 p.m.—Saturday Swing Session.
4:30 p.m.—Sunset Serenade.
5:00 p.m.—Maurice's Orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Sports Review, Eddie Dooley.
5:45 p.m.—Marshall Grant, organ.
6:00 p.m.—When Twilight Comes.
6:30 p.m.—Saturday Night Serenade.
7:00 p.m.—Your Hit Parade.
7:45 p.m.—Patti Chapin, songs.
8:00 p.m.—Sterling Young Presents.
8:30 p.m.—Johnny Presents.
9:00 p.m.—Prof. Quiz and Brainbusters.
9:30 p.m.—Bob Crosby's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Hollywood Barn Dance.
10:45 p.m.—Red Norvo's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Pasadena Civic Auditorium Band.
11:30 p.m.—Henry King's Orchestra.

MUTUAL DON LEE NETWORK
KOL, Seattle
8:00 a.m.—Leo Freudberg's Orchestra.
9:30 a.m.—U.S. Army Band.
6:45 a.m.—Lady Luck.
9:00 a.m.—Parents Magazine of Air.
9:15 a.m.—This Wonderful World.
9:30 a.m.—Men of Vision.
9:45 a.m.—Steve Severn's Pet Club.
10:00 a.m.—Elinor Sherry.
10:30 a.m.—Dick Stabile's Orchestra.
11:00 a.m.—News Flashes.
11:15 a.m.—Three Graces.
11:30 a.m.—Palmer House Concert Orch.
11:45 a.m.—To be announced.
12:00 noon—Norman Brokenshire's Variety Show.
1:00 p.m.—To be announced.
1:30 p.m.—Leo Freudberg's Orchestra.
1:45 p.m.—Football Game.
5:00 p.m.—Pat Barnes' Orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Olga Baclanova's Continental Revue.
6:00 p.m.—John Steele.
6:15 p.m.—Did You Know That?
6:30 p.m.—Frank Bull, sports.
8:45 p.m.—News Flashes.
7:00 p.m.—Hancock Ensemble.
7:30 p.m.—George Olsen's Orchestra.
8:00 p.m.—Horace Heidt's Orchnestra.
9:00 p.m.—Newspaper of the Air.
9:30 p.m.—Wayne King's Orchestra.
10:00 p.m.—Griff William's Orchestra.
11:00 p.m.—Roger Burke's Orchestra.
11:30 p.m.—Frank Borino's Orchestra.

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1150 Kcys.)
11:00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
3:15 p.m.—Sunday Afternoon Concert.
5:30 p.m.—Christian Science.
5:45 p.m.—Melodic Themes.
6:00 p.m.—Pentecostal Assembly.
6:30 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine Hour.
7:00 p.m.—Sacred Songs, Alma Johnson.
7:15 p.m.—Super Serenade.
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
8:45 p.m.—Evening Reveries.

CJOR, Vancouver (600 Kcys.)
8:00 a.m.—B.C. Church of the Air.
9:30 a.m.—Request Programme.
11:00 a.m.—Metropolitan Tabernacle.
12:30 p.m.—Recordings.
12:45 p.m.—To be announced.
1:00 p.m.—Skipper Sean's the News.
1:30 p.m.—For Shut-Ins, S. Miller.
3:00 p.m.—Symphony Hour.
3:15 p.m.—Foursquare Gospel Lighthouse.
4:15 p.m.—Hilda Wilson, pianist.
4:30 p.m.—Swedish Programme.
5:15 p.m.—Health Trail.
5:45 p.m.—Organ Programme.
6:00 p.m.—Concert Hall of the Air.
8:30 p.m.—Waltz Time.
7:00 p.m.—News Flashes.
7:15 p.m.—Recordings.
7:30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.

CBR, Vancouver (1,100 Kcys.)
8:00 a.m.—See C.B.C. Network except:
9:00 p.m.—Home Gas Concert Orchestra.
9:30 p.m.—Safety Specialists.

C.B.C. NETWORK
8:00

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Crepe de Chine and Satin

BLOUSES

Short-Sleeved Blouses with V or high neck-lines and smart novelty fronts. Trimmed with pintucking, faggoting and buttons. White and colors. Sizes 34 to 42. Each

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—Blouses, 1st Floor

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An Ideal Gift for Miss or Matron

Always popular, these warm, fleecy gowns are bound with satin ribbon and finished off with a silk cord girdle. In soft shades of rose, blue, lavender and green. Small, medium and large sizes. Each

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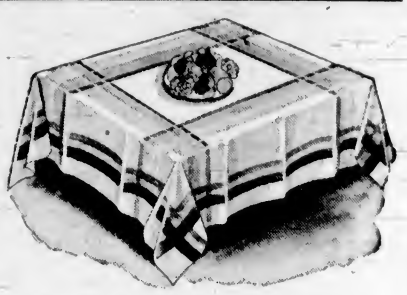

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Oyster Linen Luncheon Sets with colored borders and fancy checked centres. Nicely boxed for Christmas gifts.
Cloth, 50 x 50 inches, and 4 napkins. Per set **$1.19**
Cloth, 52 x 52 inches, and 4 napkins. Per set **$1.95**
Cloth, 52 x 68 inches, and 6 napkins. Per set **$2.49**
All-Linen Luncheon Sets in plain color grounds and broken check borders. Colors are wine, green, brown and blue with white.
Cloth, 52 x 52 inches, and 4 napkins. Per set **$3.50**
Cloth, 52 x 70 inches, and 6 napkins. Per set **$4.95**
Pure Linen Hemstitched Damask Sets in several designs.
Cloth, 45 x 45 inches, and 4 napkins. Per set **$4.50**
Cloth, 54 x 54 inches, and 4 napkins. Per set **$5.95**
Cloth, 54 x 72 inches, and 6 napkins. Per set **$9.75**
Checked Rayon Cloths at very special prices—
Cloth, 36 x 36 inches. Each **25c**
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Cloth, 56 x 75 inches. Each **95c**
100 Hand-Embroidered Linen Tea Sets—Cloth, 36 x 36 inches, and 4 napkins. Choose from white or cream linen, beautiful hand-embroidered in Spanish cutwork and appliqued patterns in dainty color combinations. Boxed for Christmas giving. A set **$2.95**
Hand-Embroidered Linen Luncheon Sets, boxed for Christmas giving. Cloth, 52 x 52 inches, and 6 napkins, with effective hand embroidery and lace inserts. Priced at, a set **$5.95**
Hand-Embroidered Nine-Piece Linen Luncheon Sets, with one runner, four place mats, four napkins. Boxed for Christmas giving. Set **$2.75**
Hand-Embroidered Madeira Linen Tea Cloths in attractive designs. Cloth, 36 x 36 inches. Each **$1.95**
Hand-Embroidered Madeira Pillow Cases in a large selection. Excellent values at this low price. A pair, **$1.69**
Hand-Embroidered Madeira Linen Napkins, always an acceptable Christmas gift. At ..... **6 for 99c**

—Linens, Main Floor

Give a Girl a

PARTY DRESS

Of Silk Taffeta

In the Children's Department we are showing a very attractive group of these dainty dresses—all in charming styles—featuring puff sleeves, ruffled skirt and collar and tie sash.

Shades are peach, blue, yellow and pink.
For 2 to 6 years **$2.98**
For 8 to 14 years **$3.59**

GIRLS' DRESSES of wool crepe, serge and tweed. Seasonable frocks, with long sleeves, flared skirts or inverted pleats.
Navy - Brown - Blue - Green - Red
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Dainty Silk Undies

Boxed Ready for Giving

Attractive Sets—Vests and French-leg panties or vests and bloomers. In white, pink and peach, for **89c** and **$1.00**

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For the Wee Tots

"Quickee" Combinations, practical, self-help garments in cotton or silk and wool. A suit, **$1.00, $1.50, $1.75**
"Quickee" Vests and Panties, a garment, **59c, 79c** and **95c**
"Vanta" Combinations, soft silk and wool, with Lastex to replace bothersome buttons. 2 to 8 years. Pair, **$1.00**

—Underwear, 1st Floor

Roast Chicken Luncheon
40c
TODAY
From 11:30 to 2:30
—Dining-Room, 3rd Floor

CANDY SPECIALS
Christmas Satin Mixture, per lb. **12½c**
Butter Toffee Mints, lb. **19c**
—Candies, Lower Main Floor

Gift Cushions

Always Acceptable Gifts

Fancy Silk Cushions in a large and beautiful selection at this popular price. Included are square, oblong, oval, round and fancy shapes, in all the popular colors. Special values, each

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Fine Celanese Taffeta Cushions in a wide choice—including large cushions with 1-inch roll edge; some quilted, others with triple brush trimming. A truly beautiful gift, each **$2.95**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

Christmas Wrappings

Seals, Cards, Tags, per packet **10c**
Ribbons, Tinsel Cord, per roll **10c**
Wrapping Paper in Christmas designs, pkt., **10c** and **15c**
Good Grade White Tissue Paper, per roll **10c**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

"Show Girl"
HEAVY SERVICE-WEIGHT

Silk Hose

TODAY—PER PAIR
89c
—OR—
2 PAIRS FOR $1.70

First-Quality, Full-Fashioned Hose with silk to lisle garter hem. Shades of Jaunty, Smoketone, London Mist, Gunmetal and Black. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Gift Hosiery

For Children

Children's Three-Quarter-Length Hose of Botany wool, in ribbed style with neat-fitting "Lastex" tops. In smart shades. Sizes 6 to 10. Per pair **35c**

"ABC" Children's Three-Quarter-Length Hose of silk and wool mixture, in flat-knit style, with plain "Lastex" tops. Shades of navy, brown, beige and white. Sizes 6½ to 9½. Per pair **50c**

Mercury Half Socks for children. Silk and wool and all-wool, with neat ribbed tops. Shades of beige, saxe, sky, pink, green and white. Sizes 4½ to 8½. Per pair **39c**

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Something Smart To Wear

Our Boys' Store Is Filled With a Great Stock of the Newest and Best—With Smartness Outstanding in Every Garment!

SWEATERS of "Goat Hair"—New, serviceable and attractive in appearance. Each has full zipper. Shades are blue, canary, fawn and brown. Sizes 34 to 38. Priced at **$5.95**

BRUSHED WOOL SWEATERS with full zipper. Heavy garments that will withstand hard wear and are really smart in appearance. Shades are canary, white, blue, brown, scarlet and grey. Sizes 28 to 38 ..... **$3.95**

PULLOVERS of brushed wool and flat knits, with "V" neck, cadet collar or turtle neck. Grey, fawn, brown and green. Sizes 26 to 36 ..... **$1.95**

PULLOVER AND ZIPPER COATS in a wide range of colors and weaves. Sizes 26 to 36. Splendid value at **$2.95**

PULLOVERS and ZIPPERED SWEATERS Are Prominent in the Gift Class—We Have These in a Wide Range

SWEAT SHIRTS of heavy fleece. Polo collar style with short zipper. Shades are green, canary, maroon, white, saxe and navy. Sizes 24 to 36. Each **$1.00**

WINDBREAKERS of fancy tweed and eiderdown. Heavy textured and wear resisting. Many shades. Sizes 26 to 36 ..... **$1.95**

—Boys' Store, Government St.

Gift Gloves

For Boys and Youths

Unlined Capeskin Gloves in dark tan. Sizes 2 to 7. A pair **$1.00**
Sizes 7½ to 8½. At, a pair **$1.25**

ENGLISH WOOL GLOVES, grey, brown and heathers.
GAUNTLETS of hard-wearing suede cloth, in brown.
ON SALE TODAY
Exceptional Values at a Pair
25c

Boys' Store, Gov't St.

Christmas Cards

FOR EVERYONE

An Attractive Range of Greeting Cards, from **2 for 5c** to **$1.00** Each

The "Cheery" Greeting Box of Cards, 15 attractive folders, styled by Coutt's, of Canada. Price **75c**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Gift Stationery

Packed in Novelty Christmas Boxes. Today, per box ..... **50c** and **75c**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Visit Toyland

And Bring the Little Folks to Meet SANTA CLAUS In His House AT SPENCER'S

Some of the Toys on Display:

Tinker Toys—Popular, constructive and educational. Junior size **59c**
Larger sizes for older children, **95c** to **$4.95**
Aeroplane Construction Sets **$1.00**
Table Tennis ..... **75c** to **$1.75**
Bagatelle, each **$1.25**
Other Games—Pitch 'Em, Bingo, Easy Money, Ludo, Three Men on a Horse—All Low Priced
China Sets for little girls. At **15c, 25c, 35c** and Up—Boxed for gifts.

—Toyland, Lower Main Floor

Gift Shirts

We Have Hundreds to Choose From Newest Shades and Patterns

MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHIRTS
"Arrow," Forsyth and Tooke Brands

Neat-Fitting Shirts, shown in fancy stripes and popular shades. Tailor made stripes or checks. Collar attached or two starched collars. All sizes.

$2.00 to $4.75

AROLUSTRENE SHIRTS that have the appearance of silk. Well made and neat fitting. Plain shades, assorted colors. Collar attached. Each **$2.50**

ARROW "HITT" SHIRTS with fused collar attached. White, blue and tan. Very smart in appearance. All sizes **$2.00**

TOOKE, TRICOLINE SHIRTS with collar attached. White, cream and blue. All sizes **$3.95**

FORSYTH'S BOND STREET SHIRTS of superfine quality silk-finished broadcloth. Collar attached. White, cream, blue and tan. All sizes. Each **$3.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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From our own higher-priced stocks, and reduced for immediate clearance—On sale for **$15.95**

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Of Choice Woolen Cloths, From the Mills of the Old Country.
ENGLISH MELTONS—Brown or navy.
SCOTCH TWEEDS—Made in Peebles, Scotland.
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Smart new models for men and young men. Sizes 34 to 44 ..... **$15.95**

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